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The Daily Oregonian.

SUNDAY MORNING

RESULTS OF VICTORY.

Before another issue of this paper reaches it's readers in the country the election will have at least begun. Voters will bear in mind that we have endeavored to be fair and candid in the campaign now so near its close. We have not resorted to fulsome praise of the republican nominees, nor unwonted personal abuse of our opponents. Believing that the party of national unity and progress has put good tickets before the people in this state, and that the public interests will be subserved by the success of republicanism, and that success now means success in November, it is the duty of republicans to stand squarely by their colors. This success may not inure to the advantage of those who would see our first choice among republicans, but it will solidify the party and give all its members an equal show with democracy in future contests. Let all personal issues be ignored; let a determination to beat the common enemy first and then settle differences in the party. Let every republican take a stand on this ground and all will have an equal show and feel an equal pride in the grand victory to be achieved in Oregon next Monday. We will then have a representative in congress who will attend to the business of his constituents and not spend three-fourths of his time in political juggling for re-election. We will then have a supreme court with which friendship nor influence can turn the scales of law and justice, composed of men who will not lay themselves liable to such grave charges as prominent democrats daily make, and some of which have been very well sustained by the proofs, against the democratic candidates. We will then have a legislature which will see that the good work of exposing and punishing the rascals who so nearly bankrupted the state under democratic rule, is continued, and that in the apportionment of the members of the legislature, which the constitution provides shall be made after each census, is fair and just to every county in the state, and that a republican county will have as many state senators and representatives as a democratic county with no more population. We will have county affairs in the hands of men who will conduct them economically and honestly. And above all, we will have the satisfaction of knowing that the party of right principles is triumphant.

Alluding to business in the east the New York *Financial Report* says: "It is one gratifying feature of the reaction we are now having from the too sudden rise in business and consequent tendency to over production, that while reckless individuals who strove to force the return of good times, by artificial means, have paid the penalty of their incautious ignorance, the general public are really gainers. There is plenty of work, with few idlers in the labor market and prudent business men are doing well. The fact is that business is simply settling down into a regular level, in which it can run smoothly along on a solid foundation, and quite naturally feels some disturbance and, perhaps, fever in getting there. But the lightning that has struck and burned out solitary speculators, has cleared the atmosphere and rendered it wholesome for the business world to breathe. Careful methods will safely ensure a continuance and increase of what is beginning to be regarded as a return of good times. One lesson that business men are beginning to learn is, that prosperity and high prices are not necessarily synonymous terms, and that inflation is never solid increase."

We publish elsewhere a list of the leading men of Portland who have agreed to close their houses on the day of election, some agreeing to close at 10 o'clock, others at 12. The list we publish indicates pretty clearly the sentiment of the citizens of Portland upon this subject, and an unusual interest in the results of the election. This is well. We predict that the influence of the presence of our best citizens will be shown by the result. Many others whose names do not appear to this agreement have expressed their purpose to close their places as requested and we sincerely hope that this movement will become general.

Hon. Rufus Mallory spoke at Oregon City on Friday evening on political topics and it is unnecessary to say that he "sat down" on the democracy with terrible effect. Mr. Mallory talked for two hours and a quarter, and was listened to throughout with marked attention by a large audience which frequently interrupted him with great applause. He exposed the base corruption of the democratic party, in the state and nation, and fully demonstrated the duty of every patriot, every man who desires the perpetuity and prosperity of the nation.

The United States sells $800,000,000 worth of products annually, and has no vessels in which to transport them. We are a commercial nation without ships; we cannot get to or from market except in foreign vessels, under foreign flags; and our congress year after year, lets this monstrous anomaly continue and resents a motion to repeal the navigation laws as an attack upon the freedom and liberties of the American people.

We have refrained from speaking of Mr Chattin's candidacy for county clerk because we do not believe he will receive fifty votes in the county. No man in Multnomah county acquainted with the republican candidate, Mr. Borthwick will doubt that the statement made elsewhere in this issue by him in regard to what has occurred between him and Mr. Chattin is true in every respect.

In view of the vast number of persons who travel from England to America, and from America to England, the London *Times* suggests that each ocean steamer be accompanied by two steam launches, one to carry news in case of disaster to the nearest port, while the other should take in the passengers of the disabled vessel.

The democratic organ unwittingly put in an argument in favor of electing the republican representative ticket in this county, when it claimed that it was put up to secure a change in the city charter making all the municipal officers elective by the people. That is democratic doctrine.

The demonstration made in this city by the republicans last night was the most enthusiastic and largely attended of anything of the kind which has taken place in the city of Portland for many years. The scene recalled the days of 1861, '65, and presages an overwhelming victory for the ticket on to-morrow.

The shylocks and tax shirkers are making a bitter war on Geo. L. Sears, but his friends are closing up around him and will elect him by three hundred majority.

Republicans examine your ballots carefully and see that it is straight from top to bottom. A great many bogus tickets are already being printed.

INTEREST ON MONEY.

There is some difference between rates of interest in England and France, and the rates in this country. The Bank of England charges 3 per cent. per annum, and yet, as we learn from the *Bulletin's* financial article, that bank has $110,000,000 in specie, which is next to the largest reserve held by any single institution in the world. The Bank of France has the most money under its control of any bank in the world, being $400,000,000, and its rate of discount is 2½ per cent. Money has been loaned by both of the above banks at much lower rates, and probably is being loaned to-day at a great reduction on these figures. We take it that 3 per cent at the Bank of England and 2½ per cent. at the Bank of France are maximum rates—that is, rates at which any one having acceptable security can get accommodation, the same as 1 per cent. per month is the general bank rate here.

In response to a request for information regarding Mr. George's position on the question of granting pensions to the veterans of the Mexican war, we are authorized to state that the measure will receive his hearty and cordial support.

HYGIENE OF THE ELECTRIC LIGHT.

The electric light, after many fluctuations incident to all great inventions, has gained a foothold as substantial as that obtained by the telegraph and the locomotive at a similar period of existence, and the fact becomes more evident every day that we are on the verge of another great revolution. Coal gas, the present possessor of the field, is a mixture of several gases in variable proportion, chiefly hydrogen and marsh gas, with olefiant gas, acetylene, butylene, oxygen, nitrogen, carbonous oxide, carbonic dioxide and hydrogen sulphide. Carbonic dioxide and hydrogen sulphide are the two which we will notice in this connection. Carbonic dioxide is a constant product of combustion and respiration. It exists in small quantity in all air, and is only injurious when it amounts to over .7 per thousand parts of the air. The proportion of 1.2 parts per thousand is perceptible to the senses, and produces a feeling of languor with bad taste in the mouth and want of appetite. All diseases of a scrofulous or tuberculous nature are aggravated by an atmosphere in which gas is being burned. The other poisonous gas often found in coal gas is hydrogen sulphide, formerly called sulphuretted hydrogen. It has the odor of rotten eggs, and blackens a solution of acetate of lead.

This is the principal poison found in sewer gas,—a destroyer which has walked at midnight through hovel and palace, and whose poisonous kiss has closed the eyes of old men and slumbering babes. All the time that we were industriously piping the poison out, the innocent little gas jets were distilling it into our very nostrils, and so poisonous the one part in 1500 of air causes the death of birds.

Now et us take up the claims of the electric light for admission to our family circle. So far as present cost goes, it may not stand the comparison, but in the outcome it will prove itself infinitely the cheaper illuminator. Electricity, no matter how generated, is essentially the same thing. Its generation always produces more or less of a substance known as "ozone," a modification of oxygen. Ozone is a colorless gas, about one and a half times heavier than air, having an odor somewhat like chlorine or sulphur. It is one of the most powerful disinfectants known to science. Prepared by the great chemist in his laboratory of clouds and darkness, it comes as an angel of mercy, bearing healing on its wings. And but for it the earth would soon be depopulated. One volume of ozone will disinfect 540 volumes of air, and an electric burner producing a cubic foot of ozone per hour will thoroughly purify 12,960 cubic feet of air per day. Being heavier than air, it will descend to the floor and all the lowest parts of dwellings, and meet the enemy in its favorite stronghold. The introduction of this pure light will mark an era in human longevity, especially among infants and small children, whose position near the floor exposes them to the full force of deleterious influences in the way of poisonous gases. The effect of the light where introduced has been found to answer all the expectation we are warranted in forming of its salutary influence. Mr. W. W. Martin, of this city, who has paid much attention to the literature of the subject, informs me that in some eastern factories where they have introduced the light its effect is already seen in the superior health of the operatives. "Verily the world moves."

WILL L. WADE, M. D.

STEAMBOAT NAVIGATION ASKED FOR.

OAKVILLE, Chehalis Co. W. T., June 21st, 1869.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN.

DEAR SIR,—As you will see by the following copy of resolutions passed at a recent meeting here beside other demonstrations in the valley of like note not reported the people are awakening to the fact that in order that future prosperity may be assured we must have navigation. The damage done to roads by the unusual high water of last winter and the present stage of water in the rivers forbid the transportation of grain, and as a consequence many have hundreds and in one instance thousands of bushels upon which they are unable to realize a cent. Hence the necessity of some means to move our produce. We have an excellent river for navigation and connected with it are five navigable tributaries. The Chehalis 25 miles, and for a distance up three of its branches. Some years ago steamboats ascended and made regular trips up the river from its mouth to the present site of the N.P.R.R., and with comparatively little work the same may be done again. The river is not rapid in the sense of a rapid river as known in this territory. It rises in hills and not in mountains, and draining a very excellent valley reaches the sea after a long course.

G. M. W.

OAKVILLE, CHEHALIS CO., W. T., May 22, 1869.

At a meeting of the citizens of this eastern precinct of Chehalis county, W. T., Col. Milroy was chosen chairman and Gilbert M. Ward clerk, after which the following preamble and resolutions were passed:

WHEREAS, The people of Chehalis valley have long labored under the disadvantage of possessing a poor and distant market, the transportation of our produce to which has been attended with the serious difficulty of bad roads and high water for a large part of the year, thus preventing any considerable development of what in a state of nature is the most extensive and finest valley in Washington territory west of the Cascades; therefore,

Resolved, That our interests seriously demand that navigation upon our rivers should be an accomplished fact and that for the furtherance of this object we do hereby organize ourselves into the name of which shall be the Association for the Encouragement of Navigation on the Chehalis River and its Tributaries.

Resolved, That, in consideration of our present commercial productions, consisting of grain, butter, hay, wool, etc., awaiting transportation, there now would be a sufficient business to well remunerate any steamboat owner who would undertake our river's navigation, and the same would be speedily and indefinitely increased.

Resolved, That in accordance with the foregoing we do cordially invite the people of Chehalis valley to meet in general mass meeting at Elma, in Chehalis county, on the 25th day of June 1869, at 1 P. M., there to consider the proper means necessary for the opening of navigation.

Resolved, That, in the time intervening, we earnestly solicit correspondence from parties who are responsible for their contracts and who may wish to undertake for us the business to be considered, that we may have the same for action on the 26th day of June aforesaid.

Resolved, That, if necessary, we deem it expedient to subscribe for and pay to any responsible party who will contract to open and keep navigable to Holdenville the channel of the Chehalis river against any probable loss which the opening of navigation might involve.

Resolved, That we hereby tender to Delegate Brents our thanks for his efforts heretofore to procure from congress an appropriation for the improvement of our Chehalis river.

On motion the chairman and clerk were appointed as a committee or correspondence.

On motion this association was adjourned to meet at Elma on the 25th of June next.

COL. MILROY, Chairman.
GILBERT M. WARD, Clerk.

GRAND PICNIC.

Commemorating the Completion of the Narrow Gauge of the O. R. N. Co., Limited, to Independence.

Addresses of Gov. Thayer and Others.

Grand Ball in the Evening.

Narrow Gauge Railroad and Other Matters.

Pursuant to invitation your reporter proceeded to Dallas on the evening of the 3d to prepare for the GREAT PICNIC to be given on the 4th inst. by the citizens of Dallas, celebrating the completion of the narrow gauge railroad to their city. While awaiting the hour arranged for the inauguration of the exercises of the day, we took occasion to note the evidences of thrift and prosperity, which with other matters of general interest, appertaining to this section, we will say more further on.

Early in the morning the many different avenues leading into Dallas were thronged with vehicles of every description containing farmers with their families and many others from the surrounding country and towns. The arrivals continued up to the hour of noon, when the number of visitors was estimated to be between 3000 and 4000. The dense masses of humanity fairly swarmed in and around the city like bees around a hive. At the hour of 10 A. M. the procession, led by the Dallas brass band, took up the line of march towards the pavilion, located upon the opposite bank of the little river of La Creole, bordering the city limits, where the exercises, consisting of vocal and instrumental music by the grand choir and Dallas brass band, Prayer by Rev. H. C. Jenkins, Judge Warren Truitt, presdent of the day, in a few appropriate remarks, alluding to the fact that the celebration of the attained results of so important an enterprise was not alone purely local in its importance, but concerned as well the interests of the entire state at large, therefore meet and proper that the governor of the state should act as orator of the day, and introduced his excellency Gov. W. W. Thayer, whose remarks, which we herewith present in full, were listened to with the most respectful attention by all composing the immense assemblage.

ADDRESS OF GOV. THAYER.

Fellow Citizens:—You have assembled on this occasion to celebrate the event of the completion of a railroad which connects your town with steamboat navigation on the Willamette river, and which ere long will doubtless be extended to tide water.

The enterprise does not directly affect public interest to any considerable extent, yet it is very important to the welfare of this section, and indirectly benefits the state at large as it incites an emulation in the people of various other sections of the country to engage in similar undertakings. The earth possesses in abundance everything essential to the wants of man. It furnishes him his food and raiment, and an antidote for disease and sickness, but it wiss and beneficien. Providence has so ordered all things, that necessary and suitable provisions to sustain life and health, and afford substantial enjoyment can be acquired only by arduous labor, directed by judgment and intelligence, and it is well that it is so. Had it been arranged in the economy of nature that mankind could have realized from spontaneous productions sufficient to answer their wants and desires, it doubtless would have been very gratifying to the indolent, lazy and slothful, yet it would have been highly detrimental to the race, development in everything which pertains to superior manhood would have been neglected and they would have presented in both their physical and mental condition a most sorrowful spectacle. Observation fully demonstrates the truth of this assertion. People living in warm, genial climates, where nature is prodigal of her bounteous gifts, where hardly any exertion is necessary to obtain a subsistence, are found to be more feeble in body and mind than those who inhabit more rigorous sections of the country, and the higher the standard of civilization, the more energy, intelligence and skill are required and will be employed in the management of human affairs. The great primary industry of this country is agriculture; the culture of the soil is the foundation of our material prosperity. It is pursuit, however, which cannot be prosecuted without calling into requisition, to some extent another and perhaps equally as important an industry, which is manufacturing, though strict agricultural business could be carried on very conducively the use of very few and comparat vely once appliances, but the husbandman must look beyond mere tillage and harvest, he consumes a greater variety of articles than he produces and is necessarily obliged to resort to an exchange of surplus commodities. This circumstance gives rise to another prominent pursuit essential to the comfort convenience and happiness of mankind, which is termed commerce. These several classes of business are so intimately blended that the prosperity and success of each depends upon that of the other. Agriculture builds up manufactures and commerce, but it cannot thrive if flourish, if it is cabed or oppressed by them. Fortunate indeed is that common wealth in which the three are fully developed and operate in complete harmony. The ground cannot be cleared, and cultivated to any considerable extent, the crop sown, harvested and stored without the employment of various kinds of machinery, and hence manufacturing is called it to requisition. Nor will the producer attempt to raise more than necessary for his own consumption unless he can find a market for the surplus, and here begins commerce, which can be carried on only by means of transportation of commodities exchanged. The globe presents such a variety of climate and soil that necessarily there is a variety of productions, and trade naturally follows as the incident. Nor are the articles of exchange confined to natural productions of the earth. The people of one country may be so circumstanced that they can manufacture useful articles more cheaply and skillfully than those of another, and consequently such artibles also become the subject of barter.

In the early history of the world exchange of bulky articles was necessarily confined to such as were produced along the seacoast or along the banks of open navigable rivers. The interior country, however well adapted to the great staples of life and trade, was valueless except to roam over, or live upon, or produce sufficient to afford mere existance. The immense cost and inconvenience of transporting such articles by land rendered the production for foreign shipment entirely impracticable and prevented the importation of like articles from other countries. The expense of land transportation was a great natural embargo upon trade even between contiguous nations. Such going interests and many of the great industries of to-day remained undeveloped until the present century, and it is due to the genius and intelligence of a very few persons indeed that the carrying trade of the world maintains its present gigantic dimensions.

The inventions of James Watt, who in 1769-85 invented the steam engine, at least as used upon the present principle; of Richard Treveth ck, who prior to 1802 invented a self acting steam engine that would travel by its own internal impulse; of Robert Fulton, who in 1807 invented the plan of propelling vessels by steam; and of George Stephenson, who in 1814 put the steam railway into practical operation, have caused the wonderful in improvements in the transportation of persons and property from one locality to another.

Railroads are, comparatively, of a very recent origin. In England, tramways, as they are termed, were used some time between 1602 and 1649. They were a very clumsy affair, and mostly employed in the coal districts. An improvement was added in 1700 by putting strips of iron upon the wooden beams so as to render them more durable. In 1740, cast iron rails were substituted and various minor improvements added; but they did not attract attention as being suitable for general traffic as that time, and they only employed horse power. In 1802 Trevethick took out a patent for a steam carriage, which he adapted to drawing wagons upon railroads in 1804, and which as an experiment proved successful, but it was only able to draw ten tons at the rate of five miles an hour. The idea prevailed in the earlier history of railroad enterprises that wheels having cogs with counter part attached to the rails to receive the cogs were essential, especially upon inclines; but in 1811 it was ascertained that locomotives running with smooth wheels on smooth rails, by mere weight and friction, could draw heavy loads up a moderate incline. In 1811 locomotive power was employed by George Stephenson on the Killingsworth railway with such success that it was afterward applied on the Darlington railway, and for which a charter was granted by an act of parliament in 1821. This was the first railway upon which carriages were drawn carrying passengers, but the locomotive system was still very imperfect. The rate of speed the cars were enabled to run was but little faster than a horse could walk, though increased speed was afterward obtained by sending the escaped steam up the chimney so as to cause a more power ul draught in the fire, which produced a more rapid generation of steam. About 1829 the idea was first conceived of extending railways over the kingdom of Great Britain, and on the 26th of October, 1824, a prospectus was issued by Joseph Sanders of a railway from Liverpool to Manchester. The line was surveyed by Stephenson, and parliament applied to for a charter, but it encountered much opposition. One nobleland gave it as his deliberate and decided opinion that railways could never successfully compete with canals. Another expressed his most serious apprehension that the smoke and cinders emitted from the chimney would greatly damage the wool growing upon the backs of the sheep of the country, and the assurance that the engine would be propelled at a rate of speed of twelve miles an hour was a fact held up as of itself sufficient to stamp the project as a humbug. "Twelve miles an hour," exclaim ed the *Quarterly Review* "as well trust one's self to be fired off on a Congreve rocket!" However, it was sanctioned by the legislature. The road was built, and on the 15th of September, 1830, a little less than fifty years ago, was opened for traffic and the great English rail way system inaugurated. Its success was a grand triumph of intelligence and genius over ignorance and bigotry.

The world owes to George Stephenson a lasting debt of gratitude, for it was through his public spirit, mind, determination of character, and untiring energy that the important scheme was accomplished, a scheme which but few persons in a great many ages had the capacity to plan or the boldness and self reliance to execute. A ragged urchin, tending books in the field, his genius first showed itself in modeling engines from clay. His next n the invent on of an apparatus to rock the baby's cradle by means of the draught from the chimney (no trivial invention), and lastly in that powerful locomotive which is now traversing your country. The history of that illustrious personage affords a wholesome lesson to the boys of our country. It exemplifies the importance of industry, perseverance and determination that were the distinguishing and characteristics that won the distinction and fame can be acquired by honest, laudable and zealous efforts, even by those whose origin was the lowest depths of poverty with all its difficult and embarrassing surroundings.

In the United States, the people had not been indifferent to railway experiments and speculations that had been going on in Great Britain. In 1826 a tram road was constructed at the Quincy granite quarries in Massachusetts. In 1827 nine miles of railroad were completed in penney vania, with branches and inclines, extending in all 13 miles, and in 1828 a line of six miles in length was commenced, intended to connect Charleston and Hamburg in South Carolina. The Baltimore and Ohio railroad was commenced in 1828, and the Hudson and Mohawk in 1830. The former was only intended for horse cars. These several roads were but primitive affairs, though they were the beginning of the American railroad system.

The American people have been no laggards in the discovery of new and useful inventions and the population of them inhabiting New England have not only proved themselves ingenious, but very observant. They have generally been remarkably curious in regard to what other people were doing, and have never been peculiarly scrupulous about imitating them where any profit was likely to be derived therefrom.

Subsequent to 1830 railroads in the United States were rapidly extended, a broader field here was open to that character of enterprises, line after line has been built, which at this time has reached the enormous extent of probably ninety thousand miles; they have extended through the great heart of the country and like the arterial system of the human body, have sent life and pulsation throughout the whole organization. The larger sections of our country in our immense territory have been revivified by their influence. Oregon is so remotely situated from the densely populated portions of the nation that its settlement has been difficult and tardy; yet the mildness of the climate, fertility of its soil and extent of its territory have invited and induced immigration. But as yet its population constitutes only a nucleus of settlement, its area includes 90,000 square miles—a little more than New York and Pennsylvania combined. It has about 300 miles of sea coast, with numerous bays and harbors, a large navigable river forming its northern boundary—extending along its border about the same distance of its sea coast—and another navigable river flowing through its largest valley. It contains within its limits millions of acres of rich agricultural lands, large portions of which are as yet unimproved; it rests of valuable timber, immense fisheries and a great variety of mineral wealth, including vast coal fields. Its population is increasing by a healthy growth, and will accumulate far more rapidly as the facilities of transportation between it and the east are improved. It has already attracted foreign capital, which is seeking investment in its railroad enterprises, and its staple productions find a ready and profitable market abroad.

With such a domain for its heritage, with its immense resources and having so favorable a beginning, who can divine the extent of its future greatness and importance? By good, prudent management on the part of its citizens and a reasonable exercise of energy and enterprise the time is not far distant when Oregon will occupy the proud post on one of the first states of the union. It is impossible to be otherwise when the lines of railroads now projected within its limits and which extend into contiguous sections of country are completed and the numerous auxiliary lines of road connecting with them that will necessarily be constructed the millions of acres of its lands are put in a proper state of cultivation, as will be the necessary sequence, its mineral resources developed and a system of manufacturing established in its various sections of territory, then its grandeur and magnificence will become an acknowledged fact.

An article in the *North American Review*, June number, 1870, entitled "The Pacific Railroad," discusses the great influence which the construction of railroads has upon the settlement and development of a country. It says, "the railroad accomplished a million square miles of new territory which had been previously inaccessible, was at at once opened to the enterprise and capital of the country."

No sooner was the construction of the Pacific railroads assured than great numbers of lines were projected in all the extreme western states and territories, for the purpose of forming a connection with it. In the twelve states affected by it there was in 1860 but 754 miles of railroad and a million and a half of inhabitants. In 1870 there were 16,794 miles of railroad and a population of nearly five millions.

Now, fellow citizens, no doubt feel elated on account of the completion of your line of road, and you have a *just right* to feel so; the enterprise is creditable to yourselves and highly creditable to those who have stepped forward when the work had virtually stopped and furnished means with which to push it forward. I trust that you will not deem it impertinent if I make a suggestion in regard to your duty in the future, concerning this enterprise. The road is practically yours, not the legal title to it, but its use and benefit in the main belong to you, and your interest in it must not cease upon its completion. Many persons suppose that they have accomplished all that is requisite when they have succeeded in securing the building of such roads, that they are at full liberty then to withdraw all support for its maintenance, or, which is more objectionable still, commence an opposition to its interests, calculated to retard its prosperity and discourage those who have become responsible for its construction. Men of capital will not engage in enterprises of any kind when they are liable to subject themselves to collusive combinations for unfriendly legislation, unjust taxation or vexatious litigation, which affairs are usually managed by a corporation and it should always be treated justly. On the other hand it should be just to the people. It should be encouraged in the legitimate prosecution of its business and at the same time should be responsible in its exactions of tariff duties as circumstances will admit. Live and let live is a wholesome maxim, and ought not to be departed from in business affairs between individuals and corporations any more than between man and man. Oppression upon either hand is equally deserving of condemnation. The success of this enterprise will encourage others of the same character. Their prosecution will stimulate agricultural and manufacturing pursuits, give employment to labor and add to the material wealth of the county. Besides, every citizen should entertain a reasonable pride for the success and welfare of his state. Its government relates to local affairs, which more directly affects his interests. Its laws regulate the transfer and disposition of his estate and the administration of it upon his demise. Through its institutions learning is disseminated, charities administered and punishment inflicted on aided offences. Life, liberty and property are preserved through its protecting agency.

Fellow citizens—confidently look forward to a time when Oregon will assume a high station among the sisterhood of states; when its harbors and bays shall teem with a foreign and home population, and furrough its valleys, and over evergreen hillsides fertile fields, and busy marts of contented industry will be found. In none of contented industry will be found. In none of these will there be more than one where this great enterprise had its beginning, and the work places in connection with the interior by rails of shining steel, and our common wealth no longer isolated from the main body of the union, will be thrown into a closer contact and will contribute its full channels and overflowing productions not to Europe alone, but will pour them in a general flood from forest, field, pasture and mine to our own brotherhood beyond the sterile range of the Rocky Mountains.

After which several choice selections were most ably rendered by the cornet band, with intermission for the reception of delegations from Heyter Lafayette, Eola, etc., whose arrival was heralded announced by the locomotive as it rolled majestically into Dallas, with both bands playing, and hand and waving of handkerchiefs and enthusiastic shouts of welcome, surrounded by a multitude of smiling, happy and many really beautiful girls, all of which combined to present a most picturesque scene, which will linger long and fade from memory's tablets of the many delighted participants and spectators. The Dallas brass band escorted their guests to the pavilion, where a most generous and elegant collation was served, after which, toasts and responses, when Mr. Joseph Gaston (for whom the citizens of Dallas entertain sentiments the kindest feelings), their worthy host, responded for E. G. Hughes, Esq., to the toast proposed to "the Narrow Gauge," as follows:

MR. GASTON'S REMARKS.

Mr. Gaston, being loudly called for, came forward and addressed the assembled multitude at some length, saying in substance that he had not come to Dallas to make any remarks on this occasion, but to meet those who had confided their interests to him heretofore, and to rejoice with them in the day of their prosperity. Not content in his life had given him more pleasure than the completion of this railroad to Dallas for this success was the fulfillment of many promises. Although the road has been delayed by many obstacles and great opposition, yet this very opposition makes the triumph of this day all the greater. When you confer in the legislature a little over two years ago that if you would give me your confidence I would secure this road to your town. It is now here, a veritable reality, and completed as soon as under all the circumstances could be reasonably expected. But I take no credit to myself in this matter for while I can say with a clear conscience that I have at all times and under all circumstances faithfully supported the interests of Dallas above all personal considerations, yet I have done nothing more than in duty, and like the ploughboy I must be excused from any special commendation. Knowing the whole history of this matter from its beginning, all the weak places in its progress and all the bitter opposition arrayed against it, I assure you, no public spirited citizens of Dallas more than to any one else the success of the road.

Without your solid support in 1878 I should have failed; without my success in building the road in 1878 the Scotch capitalists would never have taken hold of this matter, and the Willamette valley would not have had the two hundred miles of narrow gauge railroad that it will have within eighteen months of this time.

The future of Dallas is now secured, and no citizen will ever regret the aid he has extended to this road. You would not have it removed; for five times what it has cost you the foundation of your prosperity is now to be shaken. Nothing is now better supplied with railroad facilities than any other county in the state. The road is now in the hands of a powerful company that is able to hold it and develop it into a grand success. It will be extended to Portland on the one hand and Yaquina bay on the Siuslaw on the other. Scotland is backing this enterprise, and when the president at Dundee recently advertised for $2,000,000, to be subscribed to this Oregon railway, he had $40,000,000 offered him. And the road will pay for. This strip of country 25 miles wide west of this line is at tributary to this road. Grass hills will be peopled. Their resources in timber which will reach this road from the heart of the most magnificent body in the valley of the Yamhill. Rickreall and Luckiamute, will be a mine of wealth for forage, and after that the soil will support countless flocks and herds, and a population of ranged mountaineers, the bone and sinew of any country.

In conclusion, I desire to express my sincere gratitude to you all for your many acts of kindness to me in the past and your cordial greeting to day.

At the conclusion, Mr. Gaston was warmly applauded.

Letters were received by Dr. T. F. Smith, chairman of the committee an invitation and reception, from Mr. Donald Mangay and E. G. Hughes, Esq., of Portland, returning thanks, with best wishes kindly expressed, and regretting their inability to attend owing to oil or business engagements.

Various games followed, affording some rare sport.

The baseball game between the Athletics, of Dallas, and Bethel Clubs was closely contested and interesting, being won by the former club by a score of 25 to 22.

After a most enjoyable time, the weather having been delightful, with nothing to mar in the slightest degree the pleasures of the day, the celebration wound up with a grand ball at the court house. The ball was given under the auspices of the Dallas brass and string band, and was participated in by one hundred and fifty couples, among whom were the fairest daughters and noblest specimens of young manhood of Polk and Yamhill. The supper was furnished by Mr. Parsons, of the Dallas Hotel, to which gentleman was voted an especial card of thanks, which was well merited, for indeed his tables fairly groaned under a most bewildering display of edibles and delicacies. The ball and everything connected with it was a most complete success, and admitted by all to be the most brilliant affair of the kind ever before given in Polk county.

The good people of Dallas and vicinity are entitled to credit for their liberality and enterprise in aiding to bring the narrow gauge to their city, which, the managers of the O. R. & N. Co. (it seems to have fully appreciated and reciprocated in the most generous manner, which fact has been the promotive of a unanimity of good feelings of interests. Two miles of the road, extending south from Dallas, have been graded, and we are informed by the contractor, Mr. J. B. Montgomery, Esq., that he will have completed the grade of it additional miles within thirty days from date. The iron by the track are being brought up and will reach there in season to lay the track before the grade is finished. Grading is proceeding at the rate of one-half mile per day, and cross-laying will proceed rapidly, ten persons between here and Dallsville having been hired at the rate of a mile a day. The bridge work of this latter section of 61 miles is most substantial. That spanning the Rickreal at Dallas, known as the "Howe Patent Truss Combination," the bed or span being of iron, for strength, strength and durability, is one of the most perfect models of railroad bridge work on this coast. The company is rebuilding and strengthening the work on the old road, known as the Gaston section, it being sufficient for the heavier locomotives coming on from the east. Ballasting has been commenced and will be carried on until the entire track is ballasted. Four first-class engines and a lot of passenger and baggage cars and upwards of fifty new freight cars have been purchased in New York, nearly all of which we now in transit to Portland, when the company will have seven locomotives, four of them first-class, and nearly treble the hauling power of those now on the road.

Dallas is most pleasantly located in nearly the center of Polk Co., of which it is the county seat, with a population of 1000. The La Creole (now called Rickreal) a beautiful stream whose waters are clear as crystal, flows from 12 or 15 miles up the Coast range through the town, furnishing an excellent water power, part of which is still waiting to be utilized. The town is located at the base of the Coast range upon a plain slightly sloping to the east, the sub-strata of which is a bed of gravel, through which it is said, constantly flows a subterranean stream at a depth of about 12 feet from the surface. The climate at Dallas is most delightful and salubrious. Chills and fever and epidemics are comparatively unknown, owing to the perfect drainage and purity of their water in connection with gentle sea breezes which are almost regular afternoon visitants.

For diversified beauty, the country and scenery surrounding, is not surpassed if equaled by any other portion of the northwest. There is a section ten miles square tributary to Dallas, rich in soil, pastures, minerals, hard woods, etc., about one township of which is under cultivation. The increase in acreage sown to wheat this year over last, is nearly one-third, which increase has been caused by the expected completion of the narrow gauge. The fall sown grain is looking finely—beginning to spring—while the spring sown promises well. Time and space forbid further mention at present. We can only add that we found the good people of Dallas, warm hearted and extremely hospitable. We heartily congratulate them upon the completion of their railroad and the tide of prosperity which is now "setting in" toward their beautiful little inland city.

JUDAISM, HUMANISM, PROTESTANTISM OR NIHILISM—WHICH?

In almost all communities there are persons who affect to despise religion, whether oriental, Latin, Anglican, or Gallican. But, in all candor, do not these forms or types of religious faith conserve virtue, nourish integrity and promote the public weal? The central truth in each seemingly is one and the same, viz., God—He who is, who was, and who will be.

The theology of these different bodies of believers, while bristling with antagonizing phrases and sentences, over which the very best of men dispute, may be regarded as a laudable and conscientious endeavor to formulate true, accurate and practical definitions of God, and thus to fructify human life, ennoble individual aspirations and lift mankind above the merely animal and selfishness.

In the absence of an authoritative revelation, few and endless speculations in the trough of this infinite sea. Even *with* a revelation the limitations of finite minds are such that all comments on the text, whether by individuals or councils, must necessarily be tinged with the traces of fallibility; hence diversities of opinions, hence opposing schools of theology, hence multiplicity of religious sects. These, however, in all candor, may be regarded as tokens of loyalty to, and not signs of abandonment of, the great central truth as apprehended by these thinkers, expositors, advocates.

Theism, under its two general subdivisions—Judaism and Christianity—has a history. It has advantages, and seems to be a necessity to mankind. But what is Nihilism? The following is the best definition we have found thus far. It is almost too shocking to read. Its perusal, however, may serve as a deterrent to those who so flippantly spurn theism—either as scientifically improbable or intellectually illogical.

NIHILISM

Was defined at Geneva in 1868 by Bakunin himself. These are some of his words, and fairly carry his sense and purpose:

"The gospel [of nihilism] admits of no half measures and hesitations. The old world must be destroyed, and replaced by a new one. The *lie* must be stamped out and give way to Truth. * * * The first lie is *God*. The second lie is *Right*; * * * When you have freed your minds from the fear of *God*, and your self respect from the fiction of *Right*, and with the remaining chains which bind you, and which are called science, civilization, property, marriage, morality and justice, will snap asunder like threads. * * * Let your happiness be your only law. * * * Our first work must be the destruction and annihilation of everything as it now exists. You must accustom yourselves to destroy everything, the good with the bad; for, if but an atom of good would remain, the new world would be corrupted."

"Hither with the ax and let us demolish everything. Those who come after us will know how to rebuild an edifice quite as solid as that which we have destroyed. Rebuilding is now their highest duty. Our children will be forced to begin our work anew; but the evils of the future will be of a less monstrous nature than those which we now deplore. * * * And thus from struggle to struggle, and after centuries of combat, mankind will finally attain freedom and become what is called God. To arms, then, brethren, and follow to the conquest of the Godhead."

A Mr. Tschernyschewsky has written a novel, whose title, in English, is, "What is to be done?" In it he has so fascinating ly portrayed this creed of destructionism that in defiance of all police vigilance, "there is hardly a student of either sex in the Russian universities and colleges who has not read and almost learned it by heart." "Its design is to show how the disciples of nihilism may enjoy life in the way of intrigue, fraud, violence and general lawlessness."

The object of this communication is not controversy but good will to man. If the glare of this *Nihilist's* lantern shall but reveal the water into which Nihilism must inevitably plunge its votaries our object will be, in part, secured.

The Nihilist's proposition to "dethrone God," is an alarming symptom that the political and ecclesiastical doctors of Europe and other sections of the globe should heed.

The abnormal action of the human mind periodically produces such outbursts of its pent up fires. Similarly Danton, Marat, Robespierre and their frenzied followers wrote the sanguinary pages of the French revolution.

Nihilism in Europe may be regarded, in its pathetic phases, as the dying swan song of expiring human hopes; in its fiercer aspects it resembles the death flurry of the whale.

Men and women taxed, oppressed, ground down to sustain what is, in our land, euphoniously styled "a strong government" are goaded to a desperate endeavor to throw off the incubus. Galled and chafing against the bars of a relentless and unwise repression, the maddened populace follow a method which indicates a consciousness of their own impotence.

The people see, or think they see, the *altar* and the *throne* in the hands of their oppressors; hence to their minds religion and politics are the sources of their wrongs: God and the king are the authors and abettors of the tyranny beneath which they hopelessly groan and bleed. These are the conditions of which nihilism is an expression. Appealing to the worst passions of the human breast, the nihilist fans into fury the latent sentiment of revenge, until the misled populace, following their teachings, result to deeds of violence that must be condemned by all right-thinking persons.

The ominous clouds already overhang empires and threaten republic! Does it not become statesmen and religious teachers to exemplify a pure theism in legislation and religion, and bring rest to the nations by bringing life, freedom, joy to individual hearts?

R. S. STUBBS.

THAT WOODCHUCK.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

I notice Mr. Chattin has issued a second circular in which he accuses me of proposing to pay him for procuring votes for me, etc. As you are already aware, I have hitherto requested that his attacks upon me should be unnoticed by you, thinking Mr. C. hardly responsible for his statements; and he having publicly said that he had proposed to withdraw in consideration of my paying him $500. But as his second circular, by inference at least, accuses me of an attempt to buy his influence in my behalf, I desire to state through the columns of THE OREGONIAN that the statements of Mr. Chattin that I have at any time directly or indirectly offered to pay him any sum whatever for votes, either his own or those to be procured by him, are absolutely and unqualifiedly false.

I have but the kindest feeling toward Mr. Chattin, and had he made no untruthful statements, I should not have noticed him at this time.

A. E. BORTHWICK.

The Washington county annual meeting of the Christian church will commence on Friday, before the fourth Sunday in June, at the camp ground near Minto's bridge, three miles from Hillsboro.

NEWS NOTES FROM THE SOUND.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE OREGONIAN.]

SEATTLE, June 3d, 1869.

A silver half dollar of 1852 sold in this city last week for $30.

Our sawmills still continue to run on two-thirds and three-fourths time.

A grand Fourth of July celebration is among the things now talked of here.

The fare between this city and Seattle, at head of navigation on the Skagit, has been reduced to $8.

The Seattle base ball nine will play a match game of base ball at Renton on Saturday next with the Newcastle Club.

Ward politicians are again on the qui vive, City election in the course of a few weeks, and numerous are the axes to be ground.

The captain of the ship *Alaska* which arr

...TES FROM THE SOUND.

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...ruction of the new front street ...es season, so we have our ...t of dry weather. The heavy ...t winter broke down the under... ...e branches of trees to such an ...e render our timber more than ...o devastation by fire.

...nst. will be representation day ...Creek district in the Skagit mines, ...holders on Ruby and Canyon ...not represent until the 1st proxi... ...esent in person or forfeit their re... ...ims. Doubtless some conflicting ...e many of the claims here loca... ...two and three deep—notices ...g the deep snows of last winter.

...TES FROM GOLDENDALE.

...Crops, Business Matters, Social Gossip, Etc.

CORRESPONDENCE OF THE OREGONIAN.

GOLDENDALE, W. T., May 29.

All doing a good business and the ...ther smiling faces.

...kler has been at work for three ...and the streets are now much ...rtable and the dust less by tons.

...had another wedding in town, ...F. McCauley, well known in ...ty, Oregon, to Miss Lillie Hen... ...er of Dr. Henton, formerly of Al...

...Hill has sold his drug store to Dr. ...formerly and for many years of ..., Oregon, but lately of Wash... Dr. Hill is now in Portland on ...ands. Is to go east soon, I hear.

...dge, No. 15, I. O. O. F., of this ...t its election for officers at its last ...the ensuing term, with the fol... ...it, viz: W. R. Dunbar, N. G.; El... V. G.; W. Fluno, R. S.; E. ...S., and Daniel Crain, T.

...warm; wheat booming. Likewise ...l all "garden truck." Prospects ...ly good, excellent. Snow all off ...ah hills between here and The ...ascoe mountains fast losing their ...ling and taking on the hue of ...ne more.

...k, Horse Shoe Band and Lower ...pidly filling up. Lots of emi... ...ing every day almost. Some lo... ...ch into work as if they meant to ...se for themselves, while others take ...ck or push for some other clime ...wind whistles occasionally by.

...discovered the other morning ...barrel of brandy in the pantry ...ervant girl's chamber and been ...lly during the night. "Didn't you ...she demanded of the servant. ...ame, but I thought it was the vin...

...EW TO-DAY.

WITHDRAWAL.

...RLES G. SCHRAM WISHES TO ... ...e he has withdrawn his name ...ndent candidate for Assessor. jeldf

FOR SALE.

...HORSE, WEIGHT 1050, BROKE TO ... ...ngle or double. Price, $100; cash, ...bay. Apply 149 Alder st. jeddf

...—FROM NEAR HUSBARD'S STA... ...ack Mare, 6 years old, branded "D" ...nder. A liberal reward will be paid ...on where she can be found. J. F. STOOPS, Husbard, Gm.

NOTICE.

...RAILWAY & NAVIGATION CO.

...LING OF THE STEAMSHIP OREGON ...Francisco 18 POSTPONED until ...ay, June 9, at 3 o'clock A. M. GEO. W. WEIDLER, Steamship Agent.

NOTICE.

...BOUGHT AND MOVED, THE MILL ...

...NG'S SAW-MILL,

...ready to fill all orders for Cedar Lum... ...notice. CHAS. R. WILSON & CO. ...une 3, 1880. jeddim

...s Bay, Port Townsend, Victoria, ...o, Fort Wrangle and Sitka.

...RRYING U. S. MAILS.

...THE STEAMSHIP

...."CALIFORNIA,"

...ROLL.....Commander

...PORTLAND for the above port ...dern Dock on

...DNESDAY, JUNE 30, 1880, ... A. M. ...t or Passage apply to RD. J. HUGHES, Purser.

...T GRAND PICNIC

...OF THE

...EIN ENTRACHT,

...AT

...brinus Gardens,

...nday, June 6th, 1880.

(Weather permitting.)

...of amusements during the afternoon ...such as

...chen, Target Shooting, Sack Racing ...t Man's Race, Foot Racing ...FOR ...GIRLS AND YOUNG LADIES ...any others too numerous to mention.

...G BY THE SINGING SECTION ...BY THE NORTHWESTERN BAND.

...al Characters Positively Not Admitted.

...ION.....50 CENTS ...DREN AND CHILDREN FREE.

...ND MILITARY PICNIC!

BY THE

...GUARD at WILLAMETTE GROVE

...SUNDAY, JUNE 6, 1880.

...ER LATONA will leave the foot of Alder ...10 o'clock, sharp, also at 2 and 6 ... Will leave the Grove on her last trip at ...

...ing will be done to make the Picnic one ...t of the season. The company is desirous ...e that no objectionable parties are al... the ground.

...S OF TEN DOLLARS will be given to ...Barman (single scull) to be rowed on the ...e ad. Other prizes will be given on the ...

Reception Committee

...Lurney, 1st Lieut. F. N. Keefe, ...2d Lieut. Geo. Duffy.

...mmittee of Arrangements.

...ooling, Floor Manager; John Mosely, ...Joseph Surfus, 1st Lieut. James Duffy, 2d ...J. Noonan, P. McNeil, Capt. J. J. Dorer

...n.

...ic by the Northwestern Band. ...Prof. J. H. Brenner, Director. jeddtf ...s St. Ladies free.

...THE BOOK STORE,

...1 First St., near Yamhill, ...COMPLETE RETAIL STOCK OF ...STATIONERY, PERIODICALS, ...c., at LOWEST PRICES.

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SUNDAY MORNING, JUNE 6, 1880.

SEND IN THE RETURNS.

Agents of THE OREGONIAN, postmasters and precinct judges, are requested to send us full election returns at earliest convenience.

CITY.

SPECIAL CHURCH NOTICES.

Plymouth church—North Portland, corner of E and Fourteenth streets. Sunday school at 3; services locally meeting at 7½.

Taylor street M. E. church—Preaching this morning by Rev. L. A. Banks; in the evening song service and class meeting.

Watson's addition—Preaching in the school house at 3 P. M., by Rev. A. S. Coats, followed by Sunday school, conducted by W. T. Barney.

Unitarian Church—T. L. Eliot, minister. No evening service. The usual service at 11 and no this morning, and Sunday school at quarter to one.

Baptist church—Corner of Fourth and Alder, A. S. Coats, pastor. Ordinance of the Lord's Supper after the morning service; evening service at a quarter to eight.

Hall street M. E. church—Preaching in the morning by Rev. N. S. Haskel, of New England; in the evening Mrs. E. G. White, of Michigan, will conduct the services.

Christian church—Meets at Nonpareil hall, corner First and Madison streets; regular services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock; Sunday school at 12:30. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Seamen's Bethel services, Portland Bethel, cor. Second and Third streets, regular Bible study from 2:30 to 3:30 P. M., Sabbath, in Bethel hall. Preaching in the evening by the chaplain. No ship meeting.

Divine service will be held this morning in St. Stephen's chapel, corner Fourth and Madison st., at 11 o'clock, when the bishop will preach and administer holy communion. Also choral service at 3:30.

Congregational Church—J. A. Cruzan pastor morning sermon, "The World does Move!" Evening, "The Political Skirmish preceding the Great Battle viewed from a Railgtoss Stand point." Seats free.

Evangelical Church, corner Eighth and Clay, H. W. Aitkelen, pastor, will preach this morning at 10:30 o'clock and 8 P. M., at Milwaukie at 3 P. M. Sunday School at 9:30 A. M. A cordial invitation to all.

The Scandinavian Evangelical Lutheran church, Rev. A. E. Fridrichson, pastor, will preach in the Norwegian language at 11 o'clock A. M., and at 7:30 P. M., at the old academy, corner of Seventh and Jefferson streets.

Presbyterian Church—There will be preaching at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning and evening by the Rev. A. Simpson of Corvallis. The evening service will begin at 7:45. Communion is postponed until the 13th inst.

TO BUSINESS MEN.

The undersigned hereby request the business men of Portland to close their places of business at 10 o'clock on the morning of election, and to keep them closed until 6 o'clock in the evening.

AL ZEIBER,
Chairman Democratic County Committee.

T. A. JORDAN,
Chairman Republican County Committe.

In compliance with the above request we, the undersigned, hereby agree to close our places of business as therein requested.

Wadhams & Elliott,
Jacobs Bros & Co.,
Fleischner, Mayer & Co.,
Corbitt & Macleay,
Foster & Robertson,
Hodge, Davis & Co.,
A. W. Ware,
A. A. Cobb,
R. W. Mills Co.
Rumelen Bros.
G. L. Hibbard & Co.,
H. Rosenfeld & Co.,
Knapp, Burrell & Co close at 12 o'clock, M.
Chas. H. Dodd & Co. " "
Allen & Lewis " "
Martin Hecht & Co. " 10 "
A. P. Hotaling & Co. " 12 "
B. E. Hodson, " "
A. Pfaen, " "
H. Cohnlin,
J. K. Gill & Co.,
McKercher & Thompson,
C. Hilgst & Co.,
Champlin & Hollabaugh, close at 12 o'clock, M.
W. Gallois,
S. Lipman & Co.,
J. Fleischner,
Alex Mayer,
Lewis & Stearns,
Albert Dutsch,
Henrichsen & Greenburg, 12 o'clock.
S. G. Skidmore & Co ,same as on Sundays.
Mm. L. Pilger,
R. L. Boyce,
O. F. Bliss & Co.,
C. C. Morse & Co.,
L. Hunnaus & Co, same as on Sundays.
A. Loba & Co., 12 M.
Thompson, DeHart & Co.,
Dayton, Hall & Lamoreaux,
J. A. Strowbridge.

JUDGES OF ELECTION.

The following are the judges of election for Multnomah county:

Couch—Geo H. Flanders, Geo. L. Story, Thos. Stephens.
Madison—A. H. Morgan, J. M. Gilmen, E. Corbett.
Morrison—S. H. Cutter, D. C. McKercher, John Donnerberg.
North Portland—Wm. Barnes, C. P. Bacon, L. Kaufman
South Portland—John Rinns, B. P. Cardwell, Wm. Church, Sr.
Western—C. A. Dolph, Jacob Mayer, B. G. Whitehouse.
East Portland—John Campbell, Hillery Cason, J. A. Newell.
North East Portland—J. H. McMillen, Cyrus Bockman, Geo. W. Shaver.
Columbia—S. M. Reeder, John Foley, H. J. McIntyre.
Fulton—John A. Slavin, Wm. Abernethy, R. Stephenson.
Grant—J. H. Woodward, Thos. Heslop, J. B. Stephens
Mount Tabor—N. D. Gilham, J. S. Newell, L. Rosenthal.
Multnomah—G. Linneman, E. G. Giese, Wm. Graham.
Powell's Valley—Gilmer Kelly, Wm. Coyle, A. Reynold.
Rooster Rock—J. D. Littlepage, J. C. Ross, P. J. Brady.
Sandy—David Powell, J. M. Stott, Jacob Zimmerman.
Sauvie's Island—Wm. Forrest, J. Abel, Edwin Taylor.
St. John's—B. O. Severance, Wm. Gaiton, P. T. Smith.
Willamette—Geo. M. Long, John Powell, H. Holtzgrieve.
Willamette Slough—Herman Schultz, Sol. Richards, C. Bonser.

A GREAT ACTOR COMING.—Daniel E. Bandman, the famous tragedian, is expected to leave San Francisco by the steamer *Elder*, bring with him his own company. He will be supported by Mr. Barton Hill, Mr. Huntingdon, Mr. Frank Rea, Mr. W. Simms and others; Miss Louise Beaudet, Mrs. Frank Rea, Misses Georgia and Edith Woodthorpe, etc. The engagement in this city is positively limited to six nights and one matinee. The opening play will be "Narcisse," which Mr. Bandman has played in nearly all the principal cities in the world and in which character he has no peer. This star being conversant with nearly all the European languages has appeared in Berlin, Paris, Vienna and other great European centers. This is his third visit to the Pacific, having appeared at Maguire's Opera House fifteen years ago. It is his three visit to Oregon and he will make his debut in Portland on Monday, the 14th, under John Maguire, who is again in managerial harness.

ELECTION.—Unity Lodge No. 25, A. O. U. W., at a regular meeting held Thursday evening, elected the following officers for the ensuing term: Master workman, W. D. Palmer; general foreman, D. Solis Cohen; overseer, Louis Prager; financier, Frank M. Cohn; recorder, C. K. Strode; receiver, Wm. Gallick; I. W., B. Cohn; O. W., N. Wolff; trustees, J. F. Clarke and E. C. Wheeler. Dr. J. T. Wells was appointed medical adviser for the lodge.

ELECTION.—At a regular meeting of Portland Lodge No. 27, A. O. U. W., held Friday night at their hall in Union block, the following officers were elected to serve the ensuing term: Master workman, Clifford Coggins; general foreman, Lee McGown, Jr.; overseer, G. E. Oldendorff; recorder, Marion Wilcox; guide, T. Oldendorff; receiver, W. H. Christie; financier, E. A. Williams; inside watchman, John O'Connor; outside watchman, John W. Cullis; trustee, H. B. Delhao; Dr. W. H. Saylor was appointed medical examiner.

STOCK.—Friday evening a double deck cattle car brought down several hundred head of sheep on the east side railroad, and a car load of first-class horses. The sheep will furnish veal, mutton and lamb for this market, while the horses will do service for Uncle Sam at Vancouver.

INCOMING PASSENGERS

BY STEAMER STATE OF CALIFORNIA SAILING FROM SAN FRANCISCO FOR PORTLAND JUNE 9TH, AT 10 A. M.

Capt M Griffith & lam
Mrs C Strassman
J N Fleischner & bro
Jas Shields & fam
H E Simmonds
N G Whiting
P C Arnold
Mrs J Lloyde
Miss J Rodgers
P Lilypitt & fam
Miss M Cunningell
Geneg M Rodgers
E E Coursen
J Schmidt
Miss M Williams, nee ...& nephew
Mrs O Dessing & neph
E W Pratt
Miss Bertha Mass
Miss E Fleischner
F C Young
D Romeilly
J Schroder
Miss M J McElroy
F Goddeld
Miss M Schroeder
Geo H Cram
W B Hunt
M. M Smith
J T Kingsbury, wf & ch
E Pierce
Mrs A Norager
T Donovan
Mrs Lomax
Mrs Wise & child
Miss Cooper
L Longfellow & wf
A C Brigham
Mrs J E McCheneyekin
W B Allen
E H Idwf,
E A Brown
E H Mix
E W Putnam
Geo McDonald
E H Herchill
J W Smith
Miss J Schrode
W H Parish
Mrs Harding
F B Farrow & wf
W H Hastings 2
Capt M Huntington
Miss Rose Barriss
W Garner
Mrs Richards & 2 ch
Mother Oliver
Dr Wright & wf
Mrs D N Warren
Miss M King
U C H Bonesteel, USA
Miss M Charles
Miss E Plimmire
H H Heyman
Fred Breghtell
G H Wade & wf
John R Rose
M Krause, wf & ch
H J Bigham
Fisher Bucehard
Miss L Stone
D F Fleischner & sis
C W Higgins
Miss D Lippelen
Mother Elizabeth
B Harvy & wf
Capt Frank & wf
Mrs A Cook & mother
Miss P Rodgers
Bridget Daly
G C Hall
J H Nicholson
I Tokolos
E B Aschbacher
Mrs Prentice
Wm Klumpp
D F Page
Miss E Holman
W Faulkner & w
W H Pierce & wf
E Spey
G W Maxwell
J F Dolan
E R Hilldwf
Jas Dolan
Eddy Johnson
F Smithelin & wf
Miss M E Woods
E W Putnam
E F Palmer
Miss Rosa Smith
Mrs T B Reehter & 3 ch
Mrs Wallace & ch
Geo Sturgeon
R G Flynn
E M Downing
A Gifford
T N Hembre
Miss Ford
W H Stubbs
A J Frank
J Southland

Two hundred in steerage.

FIRE AT INDEPENDENCE.

The Business Part of the Town Destroyed.—Losses and Losers.

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN.

INDEPENDENCE June 5.—Fire broke out in the Eagle Hotel at 2 P. M., burning the following buildings: Eagle Hotel, insured $1200, insurance $900; T. W. Bell's dwelling, value $1000, insurance $600; J. Fryer's store, value $1000, insurance $650; R. R. Parish's building occupied by Miss Waller as a millinery store; value $600, no insurance; Singer & Co.'s meat market, value $600, insurance $300; R. M. Smith's drug store, value $400, no insurance; Vandyke & Smith, damage on building and stock not known; Robertson & Cooper's warehouse and stock, damage unknown; T. W. Bell's dwelling damaged. Contents of all the buildings except the Eagle Hotel mostly saved in a damaged condition.

BRIEF NOTES.

Lively.

Streets dusty again.

Bandman is coming.

Several picnics to-day.

The *Oregon* brought a big mail.

The steamer *Oregon* has arrived.

The tug of war comes to-morrow.

Two political meetings last evening.

The Willamette is coming up slowly.

The matinee yesterday was a big success.

Chicago is upside down politically speaking.

Candidates are striking while the iron is hot.

The steamer *State of California* will be due here to-morrow.

"What is the latest from Chicago?" is the popular conundrum.

The gardens on Tanner's creek improve the borders of that stream.

Large quantities of rags are dried on Tanner's creek and sent to the paper mill on the Clackamas.

Mr. Simon Harris is fitting up a store in the Esmond block and will open in a few days with Pianos, organs and musical instruments.

PICNICS.

The butchers of Portland will hold a picnic at Canyon garden to-day.

The picnic given yesterday by the Scandinavian society at Humboldt park, East Portland, was largely attended. The affair was well managed and the receipts quite substantial.

The well known and long established company of the Emmet Guard will give their annual picnic at Willamette Grove to-day. The object of this picnic is to raise a sufficient fund to procure new uniforms. All who will attend can rest assured that a pleasant time will be experienced, from the fact that the officers and members of the company are well known as sober, industrious men. The committee of arrangements are untiring in their endeavors to make the picnic a success.

DROWNED.

The Salem *Statesman* of yesterday contains the following: "Yesterday afternoon the following dispatch was received from Corvallis, which speaks but too plainly for itself:

CORVALLIS, June 4, 1:20 P. M.

WILLARD HERRIN: Wm. Gilmore was drowned to-day. Please inform his family. Body not yet recovered. W. H. HOLMES.

"Mr. Gilmore was a resident of this city and his parents reside in North Salem. He has been for some time employed on the steamer *Occident*. The particulars of his drowning have not yet been received. The family have the sympathy of the entire community in this their sad hour of distress."

Since the above was in type we have ascertained the following particulars: Gilmore was employed as a deck hand on board the steamer *Occident* at the time of the accident. The steamer was at a landing about four miles above Corvallis. She had just swung out into the stream when the captain observed Gilmore overboard, and struggling in the water. A boat was lowered as soon as possible, but before assistance could reach him he sank from sight. Search was made for the body, but it was not recovered.

CELEBRATION.—The McMinnville *Reporter* says: "A meeting of the representatives of the several Masonic lodges of Yamhill county was held in McMinnville on Saturday, May 29th, when it was decided to celebrate the approaching Masonic festival of "St. John the Baptist" June 24th, at McMinnville. All worthy brethren are invited to attend. Committees of arrangements consists of Bros. J. Sditer of No. 3, Kinderman of No. 20, J. J. Spencer of No. 43, H. H. Graves of No. 64, who will meet in Lafayette on Saturday, June 5th, in discharge of their duty."

IMMIGRATION.—Says the *Telegram*: A large number of immigrants, mostly farmers, from Illinois, Michigan and some of the eastern states, passed through here yesterday for Eastern Oregon. Quite a large number came up on the *Oregon*, bound for the same place. It is estimated that the immigration is unusually large, averaging nearly 200 a day.

SPEECH AT OREGON CITY.—A correspondent writing from Oregon City yesterday says: "Hon. Rufus Mallory made a telling speech here last night on the political issues of the day. He spoke for two hours and a quarter to a very large and appreciative audience. He was frequently interrupted by long and loud cheers from a delighted assembly."

DEMOCRATIC MEETING.—The democracy of Portland held a meeting last evening at the court house. The large room was comfortably filled and there was considerable enthusiasm. The meeting was addressed by Judge J. H. Reed, John M. Gearin, Fred V. Holman and Fred R. Strong.

ARRIVED.—The American bark *Alden Besse* has arrived at Astoria from Hongkong. She brings a number of celestial passengers and a cargo of Chinese merchandise.

PUT OFF.—A party who tried to steal his way up the river on the *Oregon* was put ashore with his baggage at an isolated point half way down the Columbia.

A GRAND RALLY

BRILLIANT TORCH-LIGHT PROCESSION.

Immense Meeting at Mechanics' Pavilion—Speeches by M. G. George, J. N. Dolph, R. Williams, H. E. Thompson and Others.

The ratification last night was an immense success. The fact that the Chicago convention had not yet named the standard bearer for the republican party in the presidential contest this year did not in the least dampen the prevailing enthusiasm. A large crowd assembled at the corner of First and Alder streets, and a few minutes before eight, marched to Turn Halle with the 21st infantry band of 29 pieces at their head. The hall was filled with an exuberant, representative assemblage, who waited there for the arrival of the delegation from East Portland. After music by the Washington Guard and the 21st bands, Hon. J. N. Dolph addressed the audience in a few well chosen words, but excused himself from making a long speech, as he expected to speak at length this evening in the pavilion.

Judge L. R. Stearns was called for and spoke in substance as follows:

"*Fellow Citizens!* You have just heard the silver tones of a band (the 21st) which has led to victory many brave and route soldiers. It seems to have reawakened much patriotism. The life of the nation is again in danger. The democratic party would have all the fruits of the war crumbled to dust. All the seeds of secession are now growing in the democratic party, and all the seeds remain in the democratic party. There is no secession in the republican party, which shed its best blood and carried our flag over a hundred battle fields. The democratic party should not at this time be placed in control of this government, because it was opposed to the war; because it opposed and even now opposes the constitutional amendments; because it deprived colored citizens of the right of ballot; because it is opposed to the army; because it wants to cut down the army; because it would nullify the laws declared legal and constitutional by the supreme court; because they attempted to steal the states of Alabama, Florida, Oregon and Maine." The speaker accused the democrats of first flaunting the "bloody shirt" and supported the accusation with forcible arguments. He paid brilliant tributes to Morton, Andrews, Dix, Noyes and Wade, stalwarts who knew that any set of men that attempted to destroy the union flag were traitors, as called them such. He closed with a rallying appeal to stand by the ticket tomorrow

The Procession.

The delegation from East Portland, one hundred strong, all bearing torches and headed by the East Portland band, reached the corner of Fourth and Yamhill at half past eight. A procession of torch-bearers numbering at least one thousand persons, and nearly every one a voter, was then formed. The infantry band took the lead, followed by the East Portland delegation. Then came their band, and in the center of the procession the Washington Guard band. The colors, surrounded by torch-bearers, preceded the carriages, and as it proceeded up Fourth street amid the glare and burst of rockets the bomb of Roman candles, the hissing of Chinese fire, the cheers of the multitude which lined the sidewalks, the waving of handkerchiefs from windows, stepping to the music of patriotic airs, it presented a magnificent appearance. The procession moved up Fourth to Main, down Main to Third, down Third to C. from C to First, and up First to the pavilion. All along the line thousands of ladies and gentlemen had gathered on the sidewalks and mingled their greetings with the noise of fireworks.

Torches were extinguished at the corner of Second and Clay, and the crowd filled into the pavilion.

AT THE PAVILION

Not less than 3000 persons, and among them hundreds of ladies, were assembled in the building when the speaking began. Ex-Senator H. W. Corbett and M. G. George were first to ascend the platform and were greeted with loud cheers. The meeting was called to order by Mr. Corbett, who introduced

HON. M. G. GEORGE,

Who was again loudly cheered. He expressed his gratification at meeting such a large and enthusiastic assemblage. He said: "All over the state I have probably had the largest audiences which ever greeted a public speaker in the state. I understand these large audiences mean that the people of Oregon believe that this is a most important election. I find that the organ of my opponent in this city says Mr. George is a real nice young man, and it won't do to contaminate him by sending him to congress. I would give this *Standard* to understand that the next congress will not be democratic and will not contaminate men. [Applause.] The next congress will be republican." [Applause.] The speaker spoke of the future of this rising state, her need to be represented in congress by a republican, and of the good effect a republican victory in Oregon on Monday would have over the union.

HON. J. N. DOLPH

Was next introduced amid loud applause, and said in substance: "This is one of the most important elections since 1860, because it is the death struggle of the secession democracy. If a republican president is elected this year the democratic party will never again attempt to get control of the government. The south has 138 votes, and needs only 47 more to have a majority in the electoral college. If there is a solid south and the democrats secure New York's 35 and Indiana's 15 they will have a majority and 3 votes to spare. It is not improbable that there will be a solid south and it must be met by a solid north. [Applause.] After the census of this year it will be impossible for the south to wield control." Mr. Dolph predicted a prosperous future for the south if citizens would protect life and property and welcome immigration. He spoke more particularly of the importance of the election Monday, not only in the substitution of Mr. George for Whiteaker in congress, but of the election of state senators who would elect a successor for Mr. Grover. More than that, it was to determine the future political status of Oregon. He paid a high compliment to the candidates for the supreme bench, and to Mr. Stott, and strongly urged their election. Mr. Dolph referred to the decoration of soldiers' graves last Saturday, in touching words, and appealed to his hearers in the name of the dead patriots, in the name of their noble deeds, of the maimed and wounded of the war, of the widows and orphans, in the name of humanity, to stand by the republican party and its principles, which were more than men.

HON. RICHARD WILLIAMS

Was introduced as the next speaker and was greeted with applause. He began by saying that it was no time for excitement but for earnest work upon the part of every voter. "We are here as the result of one of the grandest political assemblages ever convened in this nation, whose labors in nominating a president will be ratified by the people, on the 4th of November next. [Applause.] The very principles of this government and their perpetuity hang upon the decision of this hour." He referred briefly to the grand history of the republican party and how the great work of reformation had been accomplished; its effect upon the mainspands of the credit of one of the greatest governments in the world. Mr. Whiteaker's record in congress was reviewed, and his refusal to vote for the payment of United States marshals alluded to. Mr. Williams closed with an appeal to the voters to elect M. G. George as Whiteaker's successor.

H. V. THOMPSON

Was then introduced. He referred to the hand-bills announcing a democratic meeting, which was then in session, where a young man was addressing a handful of the unterrified, who claimed that we had nothing to ratify. "We are here to ratify the nomination of the Chicago convention, whoever the nominee may be. We have, as the result of this republican party, an undivided and unbroken country to ratify. We have a flag that for four long years waved over southern battle fields, in the interest of this great republic, to ratify. What we may be the result of that convention, the people of Oregon will support and attest their fidelity to the nation in an overwhelming victory on the 4th day of November next. We are here to ratify our county ticket, and we will ratify it on Monday by such a majority that will strike terror to the heart of democracy. [Applause.]

GEO. F. RILEY

Was loudly called for, and when he advanced was received with cheers. He spoke of the exodus of the black man from the South, its cause, how they were driven like sheep from their homes, but there was a feeling in their hearts that will cause a response to the republican party on the 4th day of November, that will make 10,000 votes for the candidate of the republican party, in answer to the democratic shot in policy. [Applause.] The democratic party claim that they are a party of principle, and refer to Jefferson to establish their assertion, but we refer to their record during and after the war to establish ours. [Long and continued applause.] While the colored man was fighting for his country and home, the dear the democrats remained at home. We were shot down for being loyal and faithful, but thank God here in the free north we will fight for that flag and the principles of the republican party with an ardent love that exists in the breast of the colored man. [Applause.] He closed by an eloquent appeal to the young men and was frequently applauded.

MRS. A. J. DUNWAY

Being called for, responded in a short speech which was well received. Judge Stearns closed the meeting with an earnest appeal to the voters to stand by the ticket and see that it was triumphantly elected on Monday next.

LAST NIGHT'S BLAZE.

About 10 o'clock last night an alarm of fire was sounded. The department responded with alacrity, when it was ascertained that the fire was in the rear of the Oregon Bakery, near the corner of First and Pine streets. The roof of the shed under which the oven is placed caught fire and was blazing up quite fiercely when discovered. After ten minutes of brisk playing the flames were subdued. The building belongs to F. Opitz and is occupied by Messrs. Loose & Hoelbing, the well-known bakers. The total loss to the building will not exceed $400; fully insured. Messrs. Loose & Hoelbing's loss will probably reach $1600. They are insured for $2200 in several companies.

"STATE OF CALIFORNIA" PERSONALS

The Mariner-Campbell-Heyman concert troupe are in the list.

Mr. Ed. R. Hill, the artist, and wife return from their bridal tour.

Lieut. Charles H. Bonesteel, who has been away since early last winter, is a passenger.

Father Buchard, the learned and eloquent priest, comes up for the purpose of holding a mission.

Lieut. E. S. Farrow and bride (nee Miss Clara Dashiell, of Laurel, Delaware) are passengers.

Mr. P. Lippett of the firm of Jacobs Bros. & Co. returns with his family, who have spent the winter in California.

A FINE NEW COACH.—The steamer *Oregon* brought a handsome new coach for the Esmond Hotel. The body is of a rich royal purple, striped with gold. The wheels are of a cream color, striped with a bright carmine. The interior of the coach is neatly trimmed, a dark color prevailing. The seats are covered with soft morocco. It is a very neat and comfortable looking conveyance. A portion of the new clerks arrived on the *Oregon* and the remainder will be brought up on the steamer *State of California*.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

DEEDS.

George Marshall & wife to Donald Mackay, N ½ lots 5 and 6, blk 13, Couch's add—$2250.

Pat Maland and wife to J. B. Grimm, 100x88 ft on Market and 13th street, May 28, 1880—$900.

Delahunt A Bauman to W. Masters, June 2, 1880, 19 acres sec. 30, T 1 N, R 1 E, W M—$300.

M. Schlesinger to A. Schyacher, April 17, 1880, land w blks 8, 16 and 17, town of Fulton—$500.

L. Barlow to J. M. Barlow, Jan. 31, 1879, part blk 243, E Portland—$5.

On account of election day S. Lipman & Co., the leading dry goods house, will close their store Monday, at 10 o'clock A. M., and will not reopen that day.

CLOSING OUT AT COST.—A fine lot of pianos at Bartsch's music store 148 First st., under Odd Fellows' temple. Now is your chance.

TRUE HAPPINESS.—The most common error of men and women is that of looking for happiness somewhere outside of useful work. It has never yet been found when thus sought, and never will be while the world stands, and the sooner this truth is learned the better for every one. If you doubt this proposition, glance around among your friends and acquaintances, and select those who appear to have the most enjoyment in life. Are they the idlers and pleasure-seekers, or the earnest workers? We know what your answer will be. Of all miserable human beings it has been our fortune or misfortune to know, they were the most wretched who had retired from useful employment to enjoy themselves; while the slave at his enforced labor, or the hungry toiler for bread, were supremely happy in comparison.

THE ENGAGED IN ITALY.—The betrothed in Italy are never left alone for one moment. They may not even sit side by side in company, and a third person must always take part in their conversation. When out for a walk they must not go arm in arm. As for a kiss, not even the tips of the nails may be touched until after the Church and State have firmly bound together the poor lovers. The severity is no compliment to Italy; on the contrary, it is mistrust carried to excess, and the young people rebel against it. Still, when they become fathers and mothers they perpetuate the custom. It may be that this extreme reserve before marriage engenders that after marriage liberty which in turn becomes a matter of wonder to more presumptuous.—[Rome Correspondence New York Hour.

SPONGE UNDERCLOTHING.—A Berlin inventor has patented a new kind of cloth, which consists principally or entirely of sponge. The sponges are first thoroughly beaten with a heavy hammer, in order to crush all the mineral and vegetable impurities so that they can be easily washed out. They are then dried and pared, like a potato, with a sharp knife, the parings being saved together. The fabric thus obtained is free from all the danger which sometimes arises from the absorption of poisonous dyes into the system; it absorbs without checking the perspiration, so as to diminish the danger of taking cold; it is a bad conductor, and, therefore, helps to maintain a uniform surface temperature; it can be more readily cleansed than the ordinary woolen garments, and its flexibility diminishes the liability of chafing.

"You must not play with that little girl, my dear," said an injudicious parent. "But, ma, I like her; she is a good little girl, and I am sure she dresses as pretty as I do, and she has lots of toys." "I cannot help that, my dear," replied the foolish mother; "her father is a shoemaker." "But I don't play with her father, I play with her, she ain't no shoemaker."

If nature should one day be pleased to reveal her secrets to us, oh, heavens! what errors, what mistakes shall we find in our paltry sciences!

The most comfortable hat a man can wear in cold weather is one that is a little stove.

The purely moral virtues are essentially frigid; it is the absence of vice rather than the presence of virtue.

Ambition is a lust that is never quenched, but grows more inflamed and madder by enjoyment.

True happiness consists not in the multitude of friends, but in the worth and choice.

The friendships of the world are oft but confederacies in vice, or leagues of pleasure

Oh, flattery how soon thy smooth, insinuating oil supplies the toughest fool.

A BIG THING IN WHARVES.

PORTLAND, June 4, 1880.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

The city council, it is supposed, will pass an ordinance granting to one J. E. Smith a lease of the city levee (500 feet river front), for the magnificent sum of $50 per month for a period of ten years. Let the good people of this city stand off for one moment at a distance of forty feet and contemplate this proposed measure. Here are some figures. Smith would expend not over $10,000 for the improvements required, interest on which is $100 per month. Add to this the city rental, $50 per month which makes $150 per month out of Smith's pocket. Now let us see what would go into Smith's pocket. Parties here offered $75 per month for 50 feet frontage on the lower dock only of the wharf at the foot of McKenzie street. At this rate Smith would get $550 per month for the use of his lower dock. But put the figures at half this sum, $125. Then there is that innocent looking provision about letting ships discharge ballast free of charge. That would give this unsophisticated party by the name of Smith the control of the ballast of ships unloading at this port, which is richly worth $400 a month on an average. Smith would thus have a large percentage over everybody else in macadamizing our streets or in laying them with Belgian pavement. This virtual monopoly is worth $400 per month to the party by the name of Smith.

Now let us see how the account stands:

SMITH, DR.	
To lease on levee for ten months	$150 00
To rental to city per month	50 00
Total	$200 00

SMITH, CR.	
Rental value of wharf per month	$ 425
Ballast monopoly per month	400
Monopoly on street work per month	400
Total	$1225
Balance in favor of Smith per month	$1075

Oh, is not fortunate and happy Smith! But stop. The city council dare not pass that ordinance and one mayor dare not sign it. If the city levee is to be improved, let the city make the improvement and have it open to all, under certain restrictions as to time and space of occupancy, for which occupants shall pay wharfage into the city treasury. But let no one man have control for his own use and benefit, of the city levee for ten years or for one day. The city council dare not legalize any such monopoly as is provided for in the Smith ordinance. They have been placed in power to look after the interests of the city and not after the interests of one J. E. Smith. The ordinance should be defeated by a unanimous vote of the council.

ANTI-MONOPOLY.

CONGREGATIONAL ASSOCIATION.

The 32d annual meeting of the Congregational Association of Oregon and Washington territory will be held at Astoria, June 17th to 20th. The following is the programme:

Thursday.

11 A. M. Organization and opening exercises.

AFTERNOON.

2. Reports of Committee on the History of the Association and of Building Committees.
3. Devotional.
3:30. Reports of the Churches.
5. Associational sermon, Rev. C. Kells.

Friday.

9. Amusements, Rev. A. W. Bower.
10:30. Devotional.
11. Foreign Missions, Rev. E. P. Baker.

AFTERNOON.

2 Exegesis. "Day," in Gen. I., Rev. C. H. Atkinson, D. D.
3. Modes of Public Worship, Rev. B. A. Gibbs.
4. Ministerial Association.
6. Sermon, Committee on Religious Exercises.

Saturday.

9. Divorce, Rev. J. W. Harris.
10. Educational, Rev. H. Lyman.
10:30 Devotional.
11. Treatment of the absentee members by the church, Mrs. J. C. Haroh.

AFTERNOON.

2. Home Missionary Society.
3:30. Questions not on programme.
4:30. Reports from other bodies and closing business.
8. Sermon, Committee on Religious Exercises.

Sunday, June 20.

11. Communion sermon, Rev. D. B. Gray.
2:30. Children's meeting. Committee on religious exercises.
7:30. Sermon, Committee on religious exercises.

Each church is entitled to one delegate and one additional delegate for every thirty members.

THE ARTISTS OF THE HEYMAN-MARENER-CAMPBELL CONCERT.

Much has been said in reference to the season of concerts to be given at New Market Theater, June 9, 10, 12, by the above troupe and doubtless some particulars regarding the artists will be appreciated.

Mrs. Marener Campbell, soprano, has always been regarded as one of the best concert singers in America. She has recently returned from Europe, where she remained for some time under the tuition of the best maestros in Milan and Paris.

Miss S. Rightwire is the prima contralto of the "D'Oyly Carte Company," and has an excellent voice of great purity and large compass and is of remarkable prepossessing appearance.

Signor Migue, Espenosa, solo pianist, is a graduate of the Paris Conservatory of Music and received the grand first prize and medal of honor at that institution. Signor E. is a remarkable pianist and one of the best executants in America.

Edgar E. Johnson, pianist and violinist is a graduate of the Royal Conservatory of Lubzig. San Francisco papers have spoken in glowing terms of the wonderful versatile talent of this young musician. Mr. Coursen played the difficult piano accompaniments for the season of concerts given by Wilhelmi, the great violinist recently.

Mr. Henry He

The Daily Oregonian.

SUNDAY MORNING, JUNE 6, 1880.

WAITING

She watches the sun come up in the east,
She watches the stars go down in the west;
And all day long, with her little dull wonder,
She knoweth no peace, she knoweth no rest.

The flowers bloom, and the flowers die,
And the wild birds sing 'mid the bush and brake,
The winds sigh low round the rocks below,
But she careth for naught, for she is not dead—
No sense.

To-night the summer's smile, neath the summer's frown,
Nestle the children of earth;
And far away, in the purple bay,
The sun comes up, and the ship goes down

The children are playing upon the sands—
They laugh at the waves as they ebb and flow;
But the day is old, and the night is cold,
And she only knoweth her life's dead woe.

The ships come in, and the ships go out,
And the summer passes and fall away;
The rose grows white in the winter's blight,
But her waters are keepers day after day.

Her hair is white with the falling years,
The cradle is grown old in the fisher-man's—
And far away, in the purple bay,
The sun comes up, and the sun goes down.

TAKING BOARDERS.

"It was a scandal," the neighbors said, "that Miss Delia should be obliged to take boarders, after all she'd been through, and Heaven knows boarders didn't help a body to help out her salvation. And so much money in the family, too. Wasn't her Uncle Eben, over at Dover, well to do, and not a chick of his own to care for, except the boy he had adopted, who was no credit to him? It was odd, now, that a man with poor relations should take to a stranger when his own flesh and blood was so nerdy; but sometimes it did seem as if folks he'd more feeling for others than for their own kith and kin. Then there were cousins in the city, fore-handed and fashionable, who never were worth a row of pins to Delia; and there was her great-uncle John's widow a-larking on the continent, a-gambling at Baden-Baden, and trying the waters in every mineral spring in the three kingdoms, for no disease under the sun but old age. She'd been known to say that her own folks were too rich already, and probably she would endow some hospital with her property."

Plainly, wealthy relatives were of no value to Miss Delia. To be sure, she had never seen her great aunt, since she was a child, when her Uncle John had brought her into their simple life for a month's visit, with her French maid and dresses, her jewels and fallals, which won the heart of her little namesake. Since then her Uncle John's widow had been a sort of gilded creation, always young and always beautiful; for though Delia had received little gifts from time to time across the seas for the last fifteen years, she had neither seen nor heard anything of the being who had inspired her youthful imagination, and was quite uncertain if such a person as Mrs. John Rogerson was in the land of the living. Dead or alive, she seemed to have made no material difference in Delia's humdrum life. After having nursed her father through a long illness, Delia found that he had left a heavy mortgage on the homestead, and her mother and herself on the high road to the poorhouse, unless they should bestir themselves. As her mother was already bed-ridden, the stirring naturally fell upon Delia, and she advertised for summer boarders.

"Goodness alive!" cried the neighbors when the facts reached their ears, "what a profitable thing it is to keep boarders. Everybody in town will be trying it. Of course Steve Langdon will come home and marry her if she were forty old maids. You may stick a pin in there!"

Delia did not open her house to boarders next season. She found enough to do in looking after her money and spending it; in reaping letters from her dear people, who seemed to increase alarmingly in receiving old friends who suddenly found time to remember her existence. And, sure enough, among the rest appeared Steve Landon, and all the village said:

"I told you so!"

"It's not my fault that you and I are single yet, Delia," he said.

"And we are too old to think of a change now, Steve."

"Nonsense! It's never too late to mend. I'm not rich, Delia; but I've enough for two and to spare."

"I wouldn't be contented not to drive in my carriage and have servants under me now," laughed Delia.

"Indeed! Then perhaps you have a better match in view? Capt. Seymour asked me, by the way, if I had come to interfere with Squire Jones' interest?"

"Yes. Squire Jones proposed to me last week."

"Now, see here, Delia. Have I come all the way from Melbourne on a fool's errand. There I was growing used to my misery and loneliness, when the mail brings me in a letter in a strange hand, which tells me that my dear love, Delia Rogerson, loves and dreams of me still, is poor and alone and needs me—me! And the letter is signed by her aunt, Mrs. Clement, who ought to know. I passed my household goods and came——"

"I am glad you did."

"In order that I may congratulate 'Squire Jones?"

"But I haven't accepted him. In fact—I've refused him—because——"

"Because you will marry your old love like the lass in the song, Delia?"

In Crofusborough, people are not yet tired of telling how a woman made money by taking boarders.

THE POOR INDIAN.

Lo's Peculiarities, as Viewed from a Colorado Standpoint.

[Bill Nye's Laramie Correspondence of Denver Tribune.]

Early in the week five Crow chiefs passed through here on their way to Washington. I went down to see them. They were as fine looking children of the forest as I ever saw. They wore buckskin pants, with overskirt of same. The hair was worn princess, held in place with Frazer's axle grease and large mother of clamshell brooch. Down the back it was painted like a horse's tail on a muddy day, only the hair was coarser.

When an Indian wants to crimp his hair he has to run it through a rolling mill first to make it malleable. Then the blacksmith of the tribe rolls it up over the ordinary freight car coupling pin, and on the following morning it hangs in graceful Saratoga waves down the back of the unclothed savage.

I said to the interpreter, who seemed to act as their trainer: "No doubt these Crows are going to Washington to try and it terest Hayes in their case."

He gave a low gurgling laugh.

"No," said he, with a merry twinkle of the eye, as he laid his lip half way across a plug of government tobacco; "as spring approaches they have decided to go to Washington and ransack the Indian Bureau for their gauze Sburz."

I caught hold of a car seat and ripped till the peach rang with my manful, silvery laughter.

These Indians wear high, expressive cheekbones, and most of them have strabismus in their feet. They had their pail on. It makes them look like a chrome of Powhatan mashing the original soul out of John Smith with a Bologna sausage.

One of these chiefs, named Raw-Dog with-a-Bunion-on-the-Heel, I think, chief of the Wolf-Eyed Skunk-Eaters, looked so gracefulness and kind that I approached him and said that no doubt the warpath in the land of the setting sun was overgrown with grass, and in his mountain home very likely the beams of peace lit up the faces of his tribe.

He did not seem to catch my meaning.

I asked him if his delegation was going to Washington quinstruct.

In reply he made a short remark some thing like that which the shortstop of a match game makes when a ball takes him unexpectedly between the gastric and the live pad.

Somehow live Indians do not look so picturesque as the steel engraving does. The smell is not the same, either. Steel engravings of Indians do not show the deca ostrich outline of a frying pan on the breakfast pants where the noble red man made a misstep one morning and sat down on his breakfast.

A dead Indian is a pleasing picture. The look of pain and anxiety is gone, and real, sweet rest—more than he really needs—has come at last. His hands are folded peacefully and his mouth is open like the end of a sawmill. His trials are o'er. His swift foot is making pigeon-toed tracks in the sands of eternity.

The picture of a wild, free Indian chasing the buffalo may suit some, but I like still life in art. I like the picture of a broad shouldered, well formed brave, as he lies with his nerveless hand across a large hole in the pit of his stomach.

There is something so awfully sad about it. There is such a tameless feeling of repose and security on the part of the specimen.

Some have such sensitive natures that they cannot look at the remains of an Indian who has been run over by two sections of a freight train; but I can. I do not feel that nervous distrust when I look at the red man with his esophagus wrapped around his head and tied in a double bow knot, that I do when he is full of vigor and health. When a train of cars has jammed his thigh bone through his diaphragm and flattened his head out like a soup-plate, I feel then that I can trust him. I feel that he may be relied upon. I consider him in the character of ghastly remains as a success. He seems at last to be in earnest and as thoughtful could be trusted with large sums of money.

When the Indian has been mixed up so that the closest scrutiny cannot decipher where the head adjourns and the thorax begins, the scene is so suggestive of unruffled quiet and calm and gentle childlike faith that it does and distrust and timidity and apprehension flee away.

PHONETICAL.

The solitary representative to whom Rhode Island is entitled in the house of representatives, is laboring hard to introduce phonetic spelling into the public documents of the United States, and into such schools as congress can control. The gentleman puts his case on the ground of the expense now incurred in printing superfluous vowels and consonants. But has he has compelled every newspaper in the United States which mentioned his bill, to spell his name Ballou, thus requiring the printing of about a hundred thousand superfluous letters, we can hardly bring ourselves to regard his case quite serious in giving this reason.

We hope that congress will show better sense than to pass such a measure. We do not wish to deny ourselves entirely the rapturous pleasure of reading government documents, and we presume that few of our readers would care to forego that pleasure. But if we can enjoy it only at the expense of having our eyes or correct spelling spoiled,—if every page of the report of the commissioner of education is to remind us of Josh Billings' Almanax—then we must sadly renounce that class of literature for the future. And as our prejudice is shared by the great majority of those who have worked their way through the spelling book, and who do not want to have their labor in mastering it go for nothing, congress should pause before practically depriving the country of the manifold illumination it now derives from the government departments.

It is difficult to get our spelling reformers to understand that the question is not one between the comparative merits of two systems of spelling, but between the merits of a tolerable system actually in existence and capable of a slow, mild reform and those of a more to enable system only to be reached by a revolution. The literature of the English language already in print must not be made archaic to our children. We cannot turn our backs upon all tradition that is written on every printed page from Caxton's time till our own. We do not insist on a rigid and perpetual uniformity. We should prefer to see good writers using the same freedom as John Maltonor Charles James Hare did. And if these should popularize changes, and these changes should be in the direction of a removal of the worst anomalies of our spelling no one could fairly complain. Milton's sorrow, and Hare's *accomplish*, represent such attempts. The spelling-book has been too hard a master, and our new extremists are much by reaction against its tyranny. But, in breaking away from that tyranny, let us not rush to revolutionary extremes. In this sphere, as in the state, there should be the combination of the two elements which Coleridge finds in every well balanced Anglo-Saxon element of permanence and that of change. We may further insist on the palpable fact that we have no common system of pronunciation to which to accommodate our spelling. Take two educated persons, one from Boston and the other from our own city, and watch their comparative pronunciation, as regards not only the degree and distribution of accent, but even the breadth and the sound of vowels, and the distinctness or slurring of consonants. You will find such a difference as no phonetic speller will ever overcome and reconcile. How many people of New England stock will pronounce *dew, tune, culture*, with perfect propriety? And how many Philadelphians can pronounce *man* and *men* so that others will recognize each word and the difference between them? Every attempt at phonetic spelling represents a local pronunciation; and when the newspaper reporters begin to spell phonetically according to their ear, the confusion will be so great that our souls will yearn for the days of unreformed spelling.—*Penn Monthly.*

ALLEGED JOKES.

The butcher who trusts loses flesh.

A mere matter of form—cutting a dress.

In some respects the gentler sex far surpass us. No man, for instance can deliver a lecture with a dozen pins in his mouth.

One of the saddest and most vexatious trials that come to a girl when she marries is that she has to discharge her mother and depend on a servant girl.

A person being asked why he had given his daughter in marriage to a man with whom he was in enmity, answered: "I did it out of pure revenge."

"Do you sing tenor?" asked a lady of her musical friend. "Well," replied the facetious man, "I've been known to sing ten or eleven times together."

"I didn't know," said an old lady as she sat down her newspaper, "that thieves were so scarce they had to advertise for 'em and offer a reward for their discovery."

"Ain't that a lovely critter, John?" said Mrs. Partington, as they stopped opposite the leopard's cage. "Wasn't yes," said John; "but he's dreadfully freckled, ain't he?"

A young gentleman of Terre Haute engaged to his female companion the other evening: "Ah! the most beautiful evening of my recollection. Luna looks peculiarly beautiful." "Was that her just weep by?" quick asked the young lady.

A professor said to an acquaintance: "He is writing a book on metaphysics, and is really cut out for it. The clearness with which he thinks he understands things and his total inability to express what he thinks he knows, will make his fortune as a philosopher."

Grown-up sister: "Oh, Charley, if you must go away can't you introduce me to one of your school fellows to look after me till you come back?" Charley: "Oh, no! It wouldn't do. It would be so rough on a fellow to fag him out like that."

The other day a lady presented herself to M. Belissaires and said: "I have awaited your return with a great deal of anxiety. I wish to solicit your assistance." "What can, madame?" "For my little boy. He can't cut his teeth."

Never deceive a lawyer by lying to him about your case when he takes it in hand. He can attend to that branch of the business himself a great deal more efficiently than you can.

A story is told of a colored preacher in the south who preached from Psalm lvi., 8—"Awake psaltery and harp." He read it "peasaltree" and harp, and expended his time and energies on the peasaltree, describing its size and flowers and fruit, and how it was cultivated, and then declared that it was used south to hang harps on. Unfortunately he said it could not be raised in this country. But he was not much worse than men in this town, who preach about "great toes and thumbs," and expend their energies in descriptions of their uses.

The barbarous habit of throwing orange and banana peels upon the sidewalk has been condemned over and over again. But it has its comical as well as its serious aspects, as witness the following incident:

> A certain young woman, named Hannah,
> Slipped down on a piece of banana.
> She shrieked and Oh, my!
> And more stars she spied
> Than belong to the Star Spangled Bander.
>
> A gentleman sprang to assist her,
> And picked up her muff and new wrister.
> "Did you fall, ma'am?" he cried.
> "Do you think," she replied,
> "I sat down for the fun of it, Mister?"

MODERNIZED VERSION OF THE OLD OAKEN BUCKET.

With what anguish of mind I remember my childhood
Recalled in the light of a knowledge since gained!
The malarious farm, the wet, fungus-grown wild-wood,
The chills then contracted that since have remained;
The scum-covered duck pond, the pig-sty close nigh it,
The ditch where the sour-smelling house-drainage fell;
The damp, shaded dwelling the fen, bare yard by it,
But worse than all else was that terrible well.

And the old oaken bucket—the mould crusted black—
That hung in the well.

Just think of it! Most on the vessel that lifted
The water I drank in the days called to mind,
Ere I knew what professors and scientists gifted
It: the water of wells by analysis find.
The rotting wood-fiber, the cells of germ in,
The sediment from of unsavory size—
The water impure as the verses of Byron—
All in the days I remember we'd years in my eyes.

And to hell the said trash—though I shudder to think it—
I considered the water in question quite clear.
And compared to the poison I've since had to drink it
That water was pure as the crystals of beer.
How often I recall it with thanks, that were only
A pail quick to the mouth to prevent dehydration!
That it sank, with its filt ates and nitrates, a colony
With matter organic, it rose from the well.

Oh health was realized in time to avoid them.
The dangers that lurked in that pestilent drainage,
I'd have tested for organic germs and destroyed them
With a massic permanganate ere I had quaffed it.
Or perchance I'd have boiled it, and afterward strained it
Through filters of charcoal and gravel combined.
Or after the filtering, chilled it and rendered it
Less palatable with the ice left behind.

How little I knew of the dread typhoid fever
Which lurked in the water I ventured to drink!
But since I've become a devoted believer
In the teachings of science I shudder to think.
And now far removed from the scenes I'm describing,
A theory of warning to others to tell,
As memory reverts to my youthful imbibing,
And I gag at the thought of that horrible well.

And the old oaken bucket, the fungus grown bucket—
In fact, the slop-bucket—that hung in the well.

"What's the difference, tell me Mary, 'twixt fairy
And the maiden in mound and murmured.
"Such conundrums are too cruel."
"This," said he, "is the solution—
Quite correct, dear, you will find it—
One drives everything before it,
One lets drive at a body and hit it."

One hiring a lodging said to the landlady, "I assure you, madam, I am so much liked that I never left a lodging but my landlady shed tears." "Perhaps," said she, "you always went away without paying."

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

SATURDAY EVENING, June 5.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 5.—Wheat 99¾, buying.

NEW YORK, June 5.—Silver bullion 1 00 fine, per fine ounce, 14¼.

Sterling exchange, prime bankers' long, $4 87; short $4 90; good commercial from 1 to ½ lower, documentary 2 to 1½ lower.

U. S. Bonds—5s of '81, 103¾ bid; 4½s 109¾ bid; 4s 106½ bid. Closed—5s of '81, 103½ bid; 4½s 109¾ bid; 4s 106¾ bid.

LONDON, June 5.—Consols, 98 1-16 money; 98⅞ account.

LONDON, June 5.—Consol's, 98 1-16@98⅝; fours, 111¾; 4½s, 113½; 4s, 33½.

NEW YORK, June 5.—Money 3@4; govts. steady; W. U. 90¾.

Bearbahn.

LONDON, June 5.—Floating cargoes of wheat, steady. Cargoes on passage and Liverpool spot wheat, quiet but steady.

Philadelphia Wool Market.

[SPECIAL TO THE OREGONIAN.]

PHILADELPHIA, June 5.—Wool dull and lower; Oregon fine, 20@23c; med um, 33@35c; coarse, 28@ 31c; Cal fine, 25@30c; medium, 28@32c; coarse, 28@ 30c; New Mexican, Colorado fine, 20@26c; medium, 32c; coarse to carpet, 22@25c; pulled, extra, 40@42c; No 1 super and family super, 40@43c.

Liverpool Grain Market.

[SPECIAL TO THE OREGONIAN.]

LIVERPOOL, June 5.—Breadstuffs—Small business at low prices. Wheat, 9s 5d@9s 6d per 2; average Cal white 9s 6d@9s 7d; red western spring, 9s 3d. Receipts of wheat the past three days, 35,000 ctls, including 4,000 American.

Gold and Stock Company's Reports.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 5.

Receipts—13,000 qrsks flour; 5500 ctls wheat; 1600 ctls oats; 1,700 sks potatoes; 5000 doz eggs.

Weather lovely, wind light northwesterly; steamer State of California sailed out time.

Butter—Choice California, market inactive but still a weak undertone.

Eggs—The market is very weak; quotations unchanged.

Wool—For California the market is weak and sellers are anxious, quotations entirely nominal.

Hides—Dry and kip and calf, the market is very strong at 19c, very good 20c.

Wheat—The market is very dead and nominal at annexed quotations. $1 40@1 60 for fair to strictly fancy lots.

Chickens are firm.

Oats—Feed, the market is well supplied and works easily, except for the very best grades.

Onions and potatoes declining steadily.

Weather—2 P. M.—Very warm again, with wind sailed around north.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, June 5.

Wheat—$1 05¾@1 06¾ July.
Pork—$10 30@10 37½ July.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, June 5.

Wheat—Unsettled
Flour—Quiet.
Wool—Dull.

Produce Receipts

Received at Portland for the 24 hours ending at noon to-day:

652 sks and 8 hf sks wool, 504 sks wheat, 30 dry and 9 green hides, 1 pelt, 1 bale furs, 56 bxs and 3 cs eggs, 4 pkgs tallow, 222 sks oats, 3 cans coal oil, 5 bxs and 6 pkgs ch ese, 6x turkeys, 400 qr sks flour, 16 bxs butter, 1 bag deer skins, 2 calf skins 11 bbls oil, 1 sk oysters, 4 sks clams.

Exports to Puget Sound.

Per steamer Bonita:

Yesler—6 bxs crackers, 1 keg sugar 1 bx sugar, 1 bx apples.
Wolcott—4 bxs crackers.
New Tacoma—80 sks flour.
Kalama—40 sks flour, 1 bx cheese, 1 bx tobacco.
Newaukum—1 can lard oil.
Pysallup—4 bxs tobacco, 6 bbls sugar 1 sk coffee, 1 sk peanuts, 1 sk apples, 1 cs bacon, 1 sk beans 40 mats rice, 80 sks flour, 20 sks c barley, 1 cs cheese.
Port Townsend—200 sks flour.
Seattle—460 sks flour.
Coupeville—1 sk rice, 1 sk beans, 1 sk sugar, 1 bx saleratus.
Little Falls—1 sk bacon, 1 bx soap, 1 gr syrup.

Shipping Intelligence.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SEATTLE, June 5.—Sailed—Ship Majestic, San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 4.—Arrived—Str Geo. W. Elder, Portland; bk Frank Marion, Valparaiso; schr Rebecca, Steamwater Bay; schr Truckee, Coos Bay.

Sailed—Bk Dublin Seabeck; schr Compeer, Tacoma; schr Aurora, Coos Bay.

GLASGOW, June 3.—Sailed—Br ship City of Cashmere, San Francisco.

QUEENSTOWN, May 21.—Sailed—Br ship Forfarshire, Hayte.

FALMOUTH, May 25—Arrived—Br bk Electra, Portland.

QUEENSTOWN, June 2—Arrived—Br bk Cordelia, Portland, June 4—Ship Tenasmith, Portland.

HOGARTH, May 31—Sailed—Ship J. B. Lincoln

ASTORIA, June 5—Arrived Yesterday—Alden Besse, Hongkong; J. H. Seaver, San Francisco.

NEW YORK, June 4.—Cleared—Ship Shooting Star, New Orleans.

PORT BLAKELY June 5.—Arrived—Ship Otago, San Francisco.

Sailed—Jennie Walker, Honolulu.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK EXCHANGE.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 5.

MORNING BOARD.

50 Mexican	9	50	8
20 G & C	3	60	190
5 H & S	8	00	250
150 Cala	2	15	100
300 Savage	3	05	90
20 Ophir	9	00	100
30 Con Va	9	00	100
100 Chollar	9	00	200
100 Potosi	5	00	100
80 Jacket	5	00	300
70 H & N	3	00	100
300 Belcher	7	00	100
135 S Nev	18	00	200
100 Confidence	9	00	50
30 Utah	7	00	100
300 Bullion	3	00	100
400 Overman	3	00	100
576 Justice	3	00	200
10 Union	3	00	50
70 Point	3	00	100
200 Julia	3	00	200
50 Caledonia	3	00	100
55 Hill	3	00	50
40 New York	3	00	100
15 Addes	4	00	50
30 Benton	3	00	100
50 Scorpion	3	00	100
370 Condorado	3	00	100
90 N Bon	3	00	25
300 Mackay	3	00	150
200 Mt View	3	00	100
100 Imperial	3	00	100
460 Quinn	1	65	1
120 Exchequer	3	00	100
17 Ex Con	3	00	50
200 Belmont	3	00	100
50 N Belle	3	00	100
160 Prize	3	00	100

50 Dex	60	63	
100 Hillside	3	00	15
100 Alta	3	00	100
100 Wells	3	10	3
100 E Delmonte	3	00	5
100 Potosi	3	00	5
50 Mt Diablo	1	00	5
200 Bostic	3	00	5
100 Bechtel	3	00	5
100 Deutschbuches	1	00	1
100 Wasatch	3	00	5
100 Weber	3	00	5
50 Wyandotte	3	00	5
50 Sentinel	3	00	5
100 Goodshaw	3	00	5
100 Belvidere	3	00	5
100 Champion	3	00	5
50 Aurora	3	00	5
50 B Hawk	3	00	5
100 Booker	3	00	5
200 Queen Bess	3	00	5
100 Monte	3	00	4
50 Con Pac	3	00	5
100 Conveyor	3	00	5
50 Jo Alter	3	00	5
100 Brooklyn	3	00	5
100 Add-ress	3	00	5
100 Noonday	3	00	5
25 N Noonday	3	00	5
100 Uncle	3	00	5
100 Crescent	3	00	5
100 Mammoth	3	00	5
100 Boston	3	00	5
100 Ossa	3	00	5
1 Tip Top	3	00	5
10 Belle	3	00	5
5 F Gas	75	bid	
5 B & E	1	25	

Telegrams from Celilo.

Per Mountain Queen, for Portland:

To Allen & Lewis—252 bags oats.
J. F. Foster—93 sks wool.
Christy & Wise—71 sks wool.
A. A. Cohn—18 sks wool.
Corbitt & Mackey—21 sks wool.
Stetson & Church—525 sks wool.
Allen & Lewis—100 sks wool, 140 bf sks flour, 25 bales wool.
Wachang & Elliott—250 qr sks flour.

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SATURDAY MORNING

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Eastern Wash

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Chinese miners are takin bullion on the Colville riv

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James Woodley of t shipped 16 500 pounds of w two weeks

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The medical association tract will meet at Colfax on day in June

Palouse Gazette Gov W time had expired as re, ats office for the Whitman tan the land office to his suc Armstrong office the retiring register throughout the district

Idaho.

The fruit crop of Idaho entirely out of danger fr promises to be immense

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The Idaho *Democrat* re Abbott, after a brief exist contains the announcemer he will discontinue the pa so barren a field He ch eighth failure to establish in Boise City

Western Ore

The pioneer reunion, promises to be very in doubtless attract hundreds

Astorian The little st rived here yesterday morn two of Cap. Nelson s barg 000 brick and a large amo used in the construction of lighthouse. The stones a bered, each one ready to li in the building They v East Portland

Last Friday, says the two prisoners at the penit ing a fence each having h ends and upon throwing end rebounded, striking o knocking him down H prison where he lay in an until the next morning wl

THE GREENWOOD

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TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREG

An intelligent merchant an judges were discussing my w wood Will cause a day or so ag sisted that the facts were mis demurred, but finally said th of common honesty they wer there was silence in that con hour That merchant, but versal sentiment of the intelligent when I was preparing the rev vital importance to its effect the facts should be truthfully could not be successfully de the greatest care in stating t their perfect credibility I i ing forward to Greenwood s art paper would be published, about t the review I challenged them cally any omissions or misstat of the facts stated by me wo those judges, is it not apparen person that if I had made an or misstatements of those fa been promptly pointed out b the certificate of the supreme nings sent broadcast over the newspaper as well as in all th it is, for that would have d Nothing of the kind having t unbiased person is respectfully truth of the facts as I have sta move all possible cavil at m statement of the facts I have the affidavit herewith handed

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SAN FRANCISCO, June 4 —Si New York, June 4.—Silver fina ounce 1 4¼

Sterling exchange, prime short 4 8 90, good commercial documentary 4 50 1½ lower U S Bonds—6s of 81, 103¼ 4s, 109 bid

London June 4.—Consols account.

U S, Bonds—6s of '81, 104½

Gold and Stock Comp

SAN

Receipts—2500 qr sks flour sks potatoes 3500 qls oats 11 Charters—ship Heela, whe Liverpool, 58s.

Butter—Cal choice, market very little demand. Quoted ert, 19@20c

Wool—California, dull and Hams—Eastern, c. h., choice 14c.

Hides—Dry and kip and favorably affected by good shem to sell above New York

Bags—Machine sewed, 22x4 Oranges—Rabiti choice 5 Lemons—Mexico $10.

Wheat—Dull and weak no

CHICAGO MAR

Wheat—$1 08¾@1 08¾ July Pork—$10 35@10 37½ July

NEW YORK MA

Wheat—Unsettled at $1 22@1 Flour and Wool—Quiet.

Bourbon

LONDON, June 4 —Floatin steady Cargoes on passag quiet. Mark Lane wheat qui winter off coast per 480 lbs 5 52s 6d Good cargoes Califo 1bs, 48s 6d London quotatio California wheat, just shipped shipped 48s same nearly due rivals off coast for orders, am markets steady French an Liverpool spot wheat rathe 10s 3d white Michigan 3 spring 8s 5d@8s 10

Produce Re

Received at Portland for th noon to-day

2180 sacks wheat 1 roll lea 296 quarter sacks flour 1 gra 4 coops chickens 13 sacks p 102 sks bacon 80 boxes and 94 sacks oats 30 boxes eggs 3 sacks 1½ cans lard 1 oil 4 deer skins 1 barrel oat mea sacks potatoes 25 boxes dried fru

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The Daily Oregonian.
SUNDAY MORNING, JUNE 6 1880

WAITING

She watches through the casement with a sad and weary face,
She watches as the sunlight creeps slowly down the wall,
And all day long with her little hands she knoweth no peace she knoweth no rest

The flowers bloom and the flowers die
And the wild bee s sing mid the bush and the brake
The winds blow round the rock below
But she careth for naught with her heart s dull ache

From her tower she watches to see
Neath the summer s smile and the summer s frown
And far away in the purple bay
The sun comes up and the sun goes down

The children are playing upon the sands—
They launch at the waves as the ebb tide flows
But the days go old and the nights go cold
And she only knoweth her life-day s woes

The ships come in and the ships go out
And the summer passes swiftly away
The rose grows white in the winter s night
But her watch she keepeth day and nights

Her hair s white with the fall of years
The children grow old in the town around
And far away in the purple bay
The sun comes up and the sun goes down

TAKING BOARDERS

It was a scandal! the neighbors said that Miss Delia should be obliged to take boarders, after all she d been through and heaven knows boarders didn t help a body to help out her salary And as for money in the family too Wasn t he in debt to Dover, well to do, and not a chick of his own to care for, except the boy he had adopted, who was no credit to him It was odd, now, that a man with poor relations should take to a stranger when his own flesh and blood was so needy, but sometimes it did seem as if folks had more feeling for others than for their own kith and kin Then there were cousins in the city fortehanded and fashionable who never were worth a row of pins to Delia and there was her great-uncle John s widow a-gadding on the continent, a gambling at Baden Baden, and trying the waters in every mineral spring in the three kingdoms, for no disease under the sun but old age She d been known to say that her own folks were too rich already, and probably she would endow some hospital with her property

Plainly wealthy relatives were of no value to Miss Delia To be sure she had never seen her great aunt since she was a child when her Uncle John had brought her into their simple life for a months visit, with her French maid and dresses, her jewels and fallals, which won the heart of her little namesake Since then, her Uncle John s widow had been a sort of gilded exhibition, always young and always beautiful, for though Delia had received little gifts from time to time across the seas for the last fifteen years, she had neither seen nor heard anything of the being who had inspired her youthful imagination and was quite uncertain if such a person as Mrs John Rogerson was in the land of the living Dead or alive, she seemed to have made no material difference in Delia s humdrum life After leaving nursed her father through a long illness, Delia found that he had left a heavy mortgage on the homestead, and her mother and herself on the high road to the poor house, unless they should bestir themselves As her mother was already bed-ridden, the stirring naturally fell upon Delia, and she advertised for summer boarders

'Goodness alive!' cried the neighbors when the facts reached their ears, 'what a profitable thing it is to keep boarders Everybody in town will be trying it Of course Steve Langdon will come home and marry her, if she were forty old maids, Yo may suck a pin to there'

Delia did not open her house to boarders next season She found enough to do in looking after her money and spending it in replying to letters from indigent people who seemed to increase alarmingly, in receiving old friends who suddenly found time to remember her existence And, sure enough among the rest appeared Steve Landon, and all the village said

'I told you so!'

'It s not my fault that you and I are single yet, Delia' he said

'And we are too old to think of a change now, Steve'

'Nonsense! It s never too late to mend I am not rich, Delia but I ve enough for two and to spare.'

'I wouldn t be consented not to drive in my carriage and have servants under me now,' laughed Delia

'Indeed! Then perhaps you have a better match in view? Capt Seymour asked me, by the way, if I had come to interfere with Squire Jones' interest?'

Yes Squire Jones proposed to me last week'

'Now, see here, Delia Have I come all the way from Melbourne on a fool s errand There I was growing used to my misery and loneliness, when the mail brings me an a let ter in a strange hand which tells me that my dear love, Delia Rogerson, loves and dreams of me still is poor and alone and needs me —me And the letter is signed by her aunt, Mrs Clement who ought to know I packed my household goods and came——'

'I am glad you did'

'In order tha. I may congratulate Squire Jones?'

'But I haven t accepted him In fact—I ve refused him—because——'

'Because you will marry your old love like the ass in the song Delia?'

In Crookborough, people are not yet tired of telling how a woman made money by taking boarders

THE POOR INDIAN

Lo's Peculiarities, as Viewed from a Colorado Standpoint.

[Bill Nye's Laramie Correspondence of Denver Tribune]

Early in the week five Crow chiefs passed through here on their way to Washington I went down to see them They were as fine looking children of the forest as I ever saw They wore buckskin pants with overskirt of the same The hair was worn princess fold in place with Frazer's axle grease and large mother of clamshell brooch Down the back it was painted like a horse s tail on a muddy day, only the hair was coarser

When an Indian wants to grunt his hair he has to run it through a rolling mill first to make it tan leable Then the blacksmith of the tribe rolls it up over the ordinary freight car coupling pin and on he following morning it hangs in graceful Saratoga waves down the back of the unterjected savage

I said to the interpreter, who seemed to act as their trade mark 'No doubt these Crows are going to Washington to try and interest Hayes in their cause'

He gave a low gurgling laugh

'No' said he, with a merry twinkle of the eye as he laid his lip half way across a plug of government tobacco, 'as spring approaches they have decided to go to Washington and ransack the Indian Bureau for their gauze Schurz'

I caught hold of a car seat and rippled all the coach rang with my mirthful silvery laughter

These Indians wear high expressive cheek bones and most of them have straw mats in their feet They had their paint on I makes them look like a chrome of Powhatan mashing the eternal soul out of John Smith with a Bologna sausage

One of these chiefs named Raw Dog with a Run on on-the-Heel I think chief of the Wall Eyed Skunk Eaters looked straight ess and kind tha I approached him and said this no doubt the warpath in the land of the setting sun was overgrown with grass and in his mocassin home every likely the seams of peace lit up the face of his brave

He did not seem to catch my meaning

I asked him if his delegation was going to Washington unmolested

In reply he made a short remark, something like that which the short spoon match game makes when a ball takes him under decidely between the gastric and the liver pad

Somehow, the Indians do not look so picturesque as the steel engraving do s The smell is not the same either Steel engravings of Indians do not show the delicious mixture of a frying pan on the backskin pants where the noble red man makes his step one morning and sat down on his breakfast

A dead Indian is a pleasing picture The look of pain and anxiety is gone and rest, sweet rest—more than he really needs—has come at last. His hands are folded peacefully and his mouth is open like the end of a sawmill His trials are o'er His swift feet in making pigeon toed tracks in the sands of eternity

The picture of a wild free Indian chasing the buffalo may suit some but I like quite as much as I like the picture of a broad shouldered well formed brave as he lies with his nerveless hand across a large hole in the pit of his stomach

There is something so sweetly sad about the old Indian buck—the mould builder

Just think of it Moss on the vessel that lifted The water I drank in the days called to mind Ere I knew what pro caspers said scientists gifted Of the water of well s by analysis find

The rotting wood floor the rank carrion Oh the fungi the frogs of unnsuitable

The weeds—impure as the verses of Byron—
Are things I remember with cares to my eyes

And to think the sad fruit—though I shudder to think it—
Has nurtured the water run on mouldy clear
And only a year ago I quenched my thirst in it
Ere I knew what pro caspers said scientists gifted
How sad that I seized it in haste to the lips

And quick to the mouth and down to the heart I
Then soon with its nurture and it tricks and plans
With matter organ c it rose from the well

Oh had I but realized in time to avoid them
The dangers that lurked in this pestilent draught
I d be led to a spring where no one had watered them
Which issues perennial and ere I had quaffed
One precious d drop I d have bowed it and crawled
Strained I
Enough chlorine of charcoal and gravel combined
Of arsenic this water I d drained it

How little I knew of this dread typhoid fever
Which lurked in the water I ventured to drink
But since I ve become a devoted believer
In the teachings of science I shudder to think
And now as removed from the scenes I m de scribing
The story o warning to others to tell
As memory reverts to my youthful imbibing
And I gag at the draught of that horrible well
And the old oaken bucket the fungus grown bucket—

In fact the slop bucket—that hung in the well

PHONETICAL

The solitary representative to whom Rhode Island is entitled in the house of representatives is laboring hard to introduce phonetic spelling into the public documents of the United State and all such schools as congress can control. The gentleman puts his case on the ground of the expense now incurred in printing superfluous vowels and consonants But as he has compelled every newspaper in the United States which mentioned his bill to spell his name Ba ou tineau requiring the printing of about a hundred thousand superfluous letters we can hardly bring ourselves to regard him as quite serious in giving the reason

We hope that congress will show better sense than to pass such a measure We do not wish to deny ourselves entirely the rapturous pleasure of reading government documents and we presume that few of our readers would care to forego that pleasure But if we can enjoy it only at the expense of having our eye for correct spelling pulled—if every page of the report of the commissioner of education is to remind us of Josh Billings A minax—then we most sadly renounce the idea of literature for the future And as our prejudice is shared by the great majority of those who have worked their way through the spelling book and who do not want to have the trouble of mastering it go for nothing, congress should pause before practically depriving the country of the manifold humiliation it now derives from the government departments

It is difficult to get our spelling reformers to understand that the question is not one between the comparative merits of two systems of spelling but between the merits of a tolerable system actually in existence and capable of slow, mild reform and those of a more tolerable system only to be reached by a revolution The literature of the English language is ready to print anything that we can arrange to our satisfaction We cannot turn our backs upon a tradition that is worth on every printed page from Caxton's time till our own We do not intend to insult and perpetuate ignorance We should prefer to see good writers using the same freedom as John Milton of Charles Julius Hare did And if these absurd popularizing changes and these changes at once in the direction of a reasoned of the worst anomalies of our spelling, no one could fairly complain Milton's *sovran* and Hare's *accomplisht* represent such attempts! The spelling book has been too hard a master, and our new extremists are such by reaction against its tyranny But in breaking away from that tyranny, let us not rush to revolutionary extremes In this sphere, as in the state we should be the combination of the two elements which Coleridge finds in every well balanced state—the element of permanence and that of change

We must further insist on the palpable fact that we have no common system of pronunciation to which to accommodate our spelling Take two educated persons one from Boston and the other from our own city, and watch their comparative pronunciation, as regards not only the degree and distribution of accent but even the breadth and the sound of vowels, and the distinctness or slurring of consonants You will find such a difference as no phonetic speller will ever overcome and reconcile How many people of New England stock will pronounce *dew* and *culture*, with perfect propriety? And how many Philadelphians man pronounce *man* and *may*, so that others will recognize each word and the difference between them? Every attempt at phonetic spelling represents a local pronunciation, and when the newspaper reporters begin to spell phonetically according to their ear, the confusion will be so great that our souls will yearn for the days of uniformed spelling—*Penn Monthly*

ALLEGED JOKES.

The bachelor who trusts loses flesh

A mere matter of form—cutting a dress

In some respects the gentler sex far surpass us No man, for instance, can deliver a lecture with a dozen pins in his mouth

One of the saddest and most vexatious trials that comes to a girl when she marries is that she has to discourage her mother and depend on a servant girl

A person being asked why he had given his daughter in marriage to a man with whom he was in enmity, answered "I did it out of pure revenge"

Do you sing tenor? asked a lady of her musical friend 'Well,' replied the facetious man 'I've been known to sing ten or eleven times altogether'

"I don't know," said an old lady as she laid down her newspaper, "that thieves were so scarce they had to advertise for 'em, and offer a reward for their discovery"

'Ain't that a lovely critter, John'" said Jerusha as they stopped opposite the leopard's cage 'Wasn't yes, said John "but he's dreadfully freckled, ain't he?"

A young gentleman of Terre Haute remarked to his female companion the other evening "Ah! the most beautiful evening in my recollection Luna looks peculiarly beautiful!' 'Wat that her just went by' quickly asked the young lady

A professor said to an acquaintance "He is writing a book on metaphysics and is really out on first it The clearness with which he thinks he understands things and his total inability to express who little he knows will make his fortune as a philosopher!

Grown up lasses "Oh Charley, you must go away can't you introduce me to some of your sch ol fellows to look after me til you come back Charley Oh no! I wouldn't do! It would be so rough on a fellow to fog him on like that"

The other day a lady presented herself to M D Josseps and said I have awaited your return with a great deal of anxiety I want to solicit your assistance Why for madam? For my little boy He can't cut his teeth,'

Never deceive a lawyer by lying to him about your case when he takes it in hand He can attend to that branch of the business himself a great deal more efficiently than you can

A story is told of a colored preacher in the south who preached from Psalm lvii, 8— 'Awake psalter' and harp He read it pessaltree and harp and expended his time and energy on the pessaltree describing its size and flowers and fruit, and how it was cultivated and then declared that it was used solely to hang harps on Unfortunately he said it could not be raised in this country But he was not much worse than men in this town who preach about great seas and thunders, and expend their energies in describing some of their uses

The barbarous habit of throwing orange and banana peels up in the sidewalk has been common need over and over again But it has its comical as well as its serious aspects as witness the following incident

A certain young woman named Hannah Slipped down on a piece of banana
She shrieked and Oh my d
And more stars she espied
Than be long to the Star Spangled Banner

A gentleman sprang to assist her
And pick d up her muff and her wrist to
Did you fall ma am? he cried
Do you think, she replied,
I sat down for the fun of it, Mister

MODERNIZED VERSION OF THE OLD OAKEN BUCKET

With wast anguish of mind I remember my child hood
Recall to the life but of a knowledge since gained
The misterious farm the well fungus-grown with wood
The chilly then contracted that since have re mained
The scum covered duck pond the pig sty close nigh it
The ditch where the sour smelling house-drain ran
The damp shaded dwelling the foul barn yard by it
But worse than all else was that terrible well And the old oaken bucket—the mould bucket—
The moss covered bucket—but hung in the well

Just think of it Moss on the vessel that lifted
The water I drank in the days called to mind
Ere I knew what pro caspers said scientists gifted
It the water of well s by analysis find
The rotting wood floor the rank carrion
Are things I remember with cares to my eyes
The frogs of unnsuitable
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And quick to the mouth and down to the heart I
Then soon with its nurture and it tricks and plans
With matter organ c it rose from the well

Oh had I but realized in time to avoid them
The dangers that lurked in this pestilent draught
I d be led to a spring where no one had watered them
With hideous c pernicious germs ere I had quaffed
One precious d drop I d have bowed it and crawled
Strained I
Enough chlorine of charcoal and gravel combined
Of arsenic this water I d drained it

How little I knew of this dread typhoid fever
Which lurked in the water I ventured to drink
But since I ve become a devoted believer
In the teachings of science I shudder to think
And now as removed from the scenes I m describing
The story o warning to others to tell
As memory reverts to my youthful imbibing
And I gag at the draught of that horrible well
And the old oaken bucket the fungus grown bucket—

In fact the slop bucket—that hung in the well

What is the difference between Lime Mary and a Bill
I will explain and a much
And the maiden meaning and unbruised
Such conundrums are too cruel.
This add he is the solution—
Quite correct, dear, you will find it—
One drives a terrible before it
One hides drive at all behind it

One hired a lodging said to the landlady I assure you, madam I am so much liked that I never left a lodging but my landlady shed tears! Perhaps, said she, you always went away without paying

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

SATURDAY EVENING June 5

SAN FRANCISCO June 5.—Silver 99¾, buying NEW YORK June 5—Silver bullion 100c fine, per fine ounce 1 4½

Sterling exchange, prime bankers long 4 8 7 short 4 9 0 good commercial from 1 to ¾c lower documentary 4 50 1½ lower

U S Bonds—6s of 81, 10 ½ bid, 4½s 109¾ bid 4s 103¾ bid Currency—6s of 95 103¾ bid 4½s 109¾ bid 4s 109½ bid

LONDON June 5—Consols 98 1 10 money 98⅛ account

LONDON June 5—Consols 98 1 (6@98)⅜ fours 111½ 4½s 111½ Erie 39¾

NEW YORK June 5—Money 3@4 govts steady W U 98⅛

Beerbohm.

LONDON June —Floating cargoes of wheat steady Cargoes on passage and Liverpool spot wheat quiet but steady

Philadelphia Wool Market.

[SPECIAL TO THE OREGONIAN.]

PHILADELPHIA June 5—Wool dull and lower Ohio fine 36@37 medium 37@38 coarse 36@ 37c Cal fine 35@37c medium, 32@35c coarse 26@ 28c New Mexico and Colorado fine 30@32c medium, 32c coarse 30c Texas fine 30@32c medium, 32c pulled extra 36c fine super and combing super, 40@45c

Liverpool Grain Market.

[SPECIAL TO THE OREGONIAN.]

LIVERPOOL, June 5 —Breadstuffs—small business at lower prices. Wheat 5s 8d@10s per cll average Cal white 9s 6@9s, red western spring 10s 3d Receipts of wheat the past three days, 50 000 cls including 4 000 American

Gold and Stock Company's Reports.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 5

Receipts—19,000 qr sks flour 8500 sks wheat 1600 cls oats 700 sks potatoes 5000 doz eggs

Weather lovely wind light northwesterly steam ers State of California sails Sun time

Butter—Choice California, market is active but with a weak undertone

Eggs—The market is very weak, quotations unchanged

Wool—For California the market is weak and sellers are anxious quotations entirely nominal

Hides—Dry and kip and calf the market is very strong at 19c very good lots 20c

Wheat—The market is very dead and nominal at annexed quotations, $1 05@1 06 for fair to strictly fancy lots

Charters are first

Oats—Feed the market is well supplied and works easily excepting for the very best grades

Onions and potatoes declining steadily

Weather—2 P M.—Very warm again with wind hauled around north.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO June 5

Wheat—$1 05¾@1 06¾ July
Pork—$10 30 July 8 K $8 45

NEW YORK MARKETS

NEW YORK June 5

Wheat—Unsettled
Flour—Quiet.
Wool—Dull.

Produce Receipts

Received at Port and for the 24 hours ending at noon to-day

65 sks and 8 bf sks wool 504 sks wheat, 30 dry and 9 green hides, 11 pails 1 bale furs, 35 bxs and 2 cs eggs 4 tins tal ow 222 sks oats, 3 cans veal, 5 bxs and 1 coop chickens, 1 bx turkeys 400 qr sks flour, 14 bxs butter 1 bx s deer skins 2 calf skins 11 bbls oil 1 sk oysters 4 sks clams

Exports to Puget Sound

Per steamer Benita

Tenino—6 bxs crackers, 1 keg sugar, 1 bx sugar, 1 bx apples

Wilkinson—4 bxs crackers

New Tacoma—800 sks flour,

Kalama—40 sks flour, 1 bx cheese 1 bx tobacco.

Newaukum—1 can lard oil

Puyal up—4 bxs tobacco 5 bbls sugar 1 sk coffee, 1 sk peaches 1 sk apples 1 bx bacon 10 sks beans 40 mats rice 80 sks flour 20 sks c barley, 1 cs cheese

Fort Townsend—200 sks flour

Seattle—460 sks flour

Centerville—1 sk rice 1 sk beans 1 sk sugar 1 bx macaroni.

Little Falls—1 sk bacon, 1 bx soap 1 kg syrup

Shipping Intelligence.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SEATTLE June 5.—Sailed—Ship Majestic San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO June 4.—Arrived Str Geo W Elder Portland Br bk Frank Marion Valparaiso Schr Rebecca Skea Wester Bay Schr Truckee Coos Bay

Sailed.—Br bk Dublin Castle Schr Compeer, Tacoma Schr Aurora Coos Bay

GLASGOW June 3.—Sailed—Br ship City of Cashmere San Francisco

QUEENSTOWN May 29.—Sailed—Br ship Forfarshire Tacoma

FALMOUTH, May 30.—Arrived—Br bk Electra Portland

CREESTOWN June 3.—Arrived—Br bk Cordelia Portland June 4.—Ship Tecumseh Portland

PENARTH May 30.—Sailed—Sh p J B Lingoln Astoria Jan 3.—Arrived Yesterday—Alden Besse Bangkok J W Seaver San Francisco

NEW YORK June 5.—Cleared—Ship Shooting Star New Orleans

PORT BLAKELY June 5.—Arrived—Ship Otago, San Francisco

Sailed—Jenny Wade, Honolulu

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK EXCHANGE.

San Francisco June 5

MORNING BOARD

6	Mexican	9 50@	500	Dis	66@65
5	Ophir C		900	Hillside	
5	Ophir B		900	Alpha	5@5
150	Con V	1 8	0@1 8	Wallace	30@1 10
50	Savage	3 00@	300	K Belmont	
20	Ophir	8	00@	Bodie	80@
50	Con Va	3	00	Mid Dable	60
100	Chollar		3 0	Bodie	80@
15	P Imp	2	00@	Bechtel	
50	Justice		1	50	Par Justice
5	B & N		1	00	Wrango
200	Belcher		2	00	Ward
50	Utah		2	20	Bulwer
100	Confidence		3	00	Spanish
50	Utah		2	00	Gladstone
350	Bullion		2	00	Mid-dle
50	Overman	1	45@	1 50	Champion
5	Justice		1	00	Aurora
10	Union		1	5	Hawk
70	Imp		1	5	Booker
20	Utah	2	00	2	Con Bel
200	Caledonia		1	90	No 9
50	Hill	0	90@	95	Con Tac
350	New York		0	85	Justice
1	Aides	3	25@	3	Jupiter
10	Union		1	00	Silver
500	Scorpion		1	05	Addi da
3	Con Imp	2	85	2	Sunday
1	Bon		2	5	Noonday
100	Stanley		1	1	Lady Landard
200	Bit View		1	40@	60 Crown
100	Imperial		1	0	Mammoth
400	Queen	1	0@	1	00 Boston
20	Exchequer		1	85	900 Oro
1	Belcher	1	85@	1	90 Top
100	Belmont		1	85	10 Belle
50	Belle		1	8	Gas
1	Prize		1	85	10 B & E

Telegrams from Celilo.

Per Mountain Queen, for Portland

To Allen & Lewis—252 beef hides
J R Foster—9 sks wool
Chrisby & Wise—71 sks wool.
A A Cone—18 sks wool
Corbitt & Macleay—3 sks wool
Sibson & Church—6.6 sks wool
Allen & Lewis—1091 sks wool 140 hf sks flour, 29 bales wool
Wadhams & Elliot—26 qr sks 14 hf sks flour

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